

OSWALD, LEE HARVEY

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assassination of President JOHN F. KENNEDY, TAYLOR observed a photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD. He said this photograph immediately struck him as resembling the individual previously described as untalkative whom he had observed at the service station, and with whom he had not carried on any conversation. He described this individual as:

White Male  
In his twenties  
5'10" to 6' tall  
155 lbs.  
Light brown hair  
Fair complexion  
No outstanding peculiarities  
Wore a T-shirt and dark pants.

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TAYLOR described the second occupant of the automobile whom he had observed in the service station as:

White Male  
In his forties  
6' tall  
200 lbs.  
Dark brown hair  
A full beard, appearing to be several days growth  
Olive complexion.  
Wore dark shirt and dark pants  
Wore sun glasses  
Spoke with an accent, origin of which was unknown to TAYLOR.

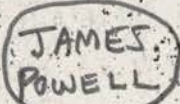
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TAYLOR was unable to pinpoint the exact location of the service station. He could not name the brand of gasoline purchased; however, he advised he uses Texaco gasoline whenever possible, and will only use name brand gasolines in his automobile. He said this station was located in the country, and described the station as a small, clean, modern station. It did not have a restaurant connected thereto. TAYLOR advised he pays for his gasoline by cash. He described his own automobile as a 1960 Oldsmobile Station Wagon.

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TYPE OF CASE <b>PRS</b>	STATUS <b>Continued</b>	TITLE OR CAPTION <b>Assassination of President Kennedy Lee Harvey Oswald</b>
INVESTIGATION MADE AT <b>Dallas, Texas</b>	PERIOD COVERED <b>1-1/1-29-64</b>	
INVESTIGATION MADE BY <b>SA Roger C. Warner</b>		

DETAILS

SYNOPSIS

Pierce Allman (person believed to be one mentioned by Lee Harvey Oswald as identifying himself as Secret Service Agent at Texas School Book Depository immediately following assassination) interviewed 1-29-64.

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

Reference is made to previous reports relative to Lee Harvey Oswald.

Other Investigations

On 11-22-63 the following was reported to SAIC Forrest V. Borrels, by Captain Will Fritz, Dallas Police Department.

Lee Harvey Oswald in the first interview subsequent to his arrest, stated that as he was leaving the Texas School Book Depository Building, two men (one with a crew cut) had intercepted him at the front door; identified themselves as Secret Service Agents and asked for the location of a telephone.

On 1-1-64 Mr. Jack Brian, Detective, Dallas Police Department, stated that he had interrogated Mr. James Powell, Army Intelligence, who was trapped inside the Texas School Book Depository after the Depository doors had been sealed.

On 1-28-64 Mr. Powell was interviewed relative to his location at the time of the assassination and his actions subsequent to the assassination. Mr. Powell stated that he had been watching the parade from a position near the corner of Houston and Elm Streets, the site of the assassination. Mr. Powell stated further that he heard the shots and he then joined a group of Sheriff's Deputies, who were heading toward the rear of the Texas School Book Depository on the basis of information that the assassin had shot from the railroad yards. Mr. Powell

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worked with the Sheriff's Deputies at the rear of the Texas School Book Depository for about six or eight minutes. He then entered the front door of the Depository, in search of a phone from which to call his office. Mr. Powell, upon entering the Texas School Book Depository, observed Mr. Pierce Allman using a phone in the lobby of the building. Mr. Powell stated that he did not meet anyone upon entering the building nor was he called upon to identify himself to anyone. Mr. Powell stated that the only persons present on the first floor of the building at the time of his entry were Mr. Allman and an unidentified white male described as being tall and about 30 years of age; both of these men were near a desk in the lobby and Mr. Allman was using a telephone.

Mr. Powell has submitted a report of his activities immediately subsequent to the assassination of the President and states that his report will be available to this office upon request.

On 1-29-64 Mr. Pierce Allman was interviewed at his office in the WFAA T-V building where he is employed as Program Director. Mr. Allman is described as a white male, 5'8", 140, brown hair, crew cut, brown eyes, about 35. Mr. Allman was interviewed relative to activities immediately subsequent to the assassination. Mr. Allman stated that he was watching the parade from a position near the corner of Elm and Houston. Upon hearing the shots he ran across Elm Street to a couple who had fallen to the ground. He asked the man if he was all right; the man stated that he was. Allman then ran up an incline toward Houston Street. Upon reaching the top of the incline, he turned and ran down. He stated that he is at a loss to explain this action other than he was extremely excited and upset by the assassination.

Mr. Allman then stated that he ran full speed into the Texas School Book Depository Building with intention of locating a phone and calling his television station WFAA. Mr. Allman stated that after he had entered the front door of the building, he had emerged into a hallway and there he met a white male whom he could not further identify. He asked this white male for the location of a telephone. Mr. Allman stated that he did not identify himself to this person; stated further that he was extremely excited at the time and that he could not remember anything about the person except for the fact that he was a white male. Mr. Allman has seen pictures of Lee Harvey Oswald and could not positively state whether or not he is the one of whom he inquired. Mr. Allman stated that the person pointed out a phone to him which was located in an open area on the first floor of the Texas School Book Depository; that he immediately went to the telephone and stayed at this position for approximately 25 minutes talking to his office. Mr. Allman stated that he was accompanied by a fellow worker, Terry Ford.

During the above interview it was noted that Mr. Allman carries his press pass in a leather case similar to cases carried by Federal agents and police officers.

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On January 31, 1963, Mr. Terrence Ford, Radio Promotion Director, WFAA, was interviewed relative to his actions subsequent to the assassination.

Mr. Ford stated that he had accompanied Mr. Allman to the corner of Houston and Elm Streets to watch the procession; that upon hearing shots, he retreated to a concrete building near the side of the small park bordering Elm Street, then running back toward the Texas School Book Depository. He followed Allman into the building, walking on his right side. He remembers Allman turning to his left to ask a white male the location of a telephone. Ford stated the white male, whom he can neither identify nor describe, indicated in some manner that a telephone was inside a room directly ahead. Ford does not remember Allman identifying himself at this time. Ford stated that he did not have a press card at this time and did not identify himself to anyone until he left the building about one hour later.

Ford has seen pictures of Lee Harvey Oswald and states he cannot remember if Oswald was the man he and Allman met at the front door of the Texas School Book Depository.

#### DISPOSITION

The facts surrounding the entrance of Allman and Ford into the Texas School Book Depository indicate that they are the men referred to by Oswald in his interview with Captain Fritz. In view of this and of the fact that there is no indication that they identified themselves as Secret Service Agents, this phase of the investigation is closed.

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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Individuals and Organizations  
 Date January 3, 1964

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JAMES W. POWELL, Special Agent, Region II, 112th INTC, Army Intelligence Corps, 912 Rio Grande Building, advised that on November 22, 1963 he had taken a photograph of the Texas School Book Depository and later turned this photograph in the form of a Kodachrome transparency over to Lieutenant Colonel E. E. BOYD, Region II, Army Intelligence Corps, Dallas.

Mr. POWELL stated that the Kodachrome transparency was obtained from a photograph of the Texas School Book Depository building which was taken, to his best estimate, approximately 30 seconds following the shots fired at President KENNEDY. POWELL was approximately one-half block east of the intersection of Elm and Houston, and the Presidential Motorcade had already turned west on Elm, when he heard the shots fired at President KENNEDY. He then ran to the southeast corner of the Elm and Houston Street intersection and, seeing some people pointing to the Texas School Book Depository building, he took the picture. To his best recollection, this picture was taken at 1/25th of a second at F-11 with his Minolta 35 mm camera, set at infinity. POWELL believes the film used was Kodachrome X with ASA setting of 64. He had the film processed at the Cardinal Card and Camera Store, Dallas, Texas. POWELL stated that he took the picture from across the street in a diagonal direction from the Texas School Book Depository, and estimated the distance as approximately 100 feet.

POWELL stated that upon development, the film disclosed the Texas School Book Depository, and on about the fifth floor, a Negro male was observed in one of the windows. POWELL stated that he could not see anything otherwise significant in this picture.

POWELL stated that he recalls having heard two shots fired and possibly a third. He recalls having questioned a man in the vicinity of the entrance of the Texas School Book Depository, however, he did not obtain the man's identity inasmuch as the Dallas Police Department immediately took the man under control for questioning. POWELL believes this man was a beer company employee.

on 1-3-64 at Dallas, Texas File # DL 100-10461  
 by Special Agent GEORGE T. BINNEY 20 Date dictated 1-3-64  
 MVS

1Date January 2, 1964

Lieutenant Colonel E. E. BOYD, Region 2, Army Intelligence Corps, Dallas, Texas, made available a Kodachrome transparency of a scene depicting the Texas School Book Depository Building, which Lieutenant Colonel BOYD stated had been taken by Mr. JAMES N. W POWELL of Region 2, INTC.

Lieutenant Colonel BOYD advised that POWELL had stated he took this photograph approximately 30 seconds after the last shot was fired on November 22, 1963, during the assassination of President KENNEDY. According to Lieutenant Colonel BOYD, POWELL indicated he took the picture of the building because several people were pointing to it.

on 12/31/63 at Dallas, Texas <sup>19</sup> File # DL 100-10461  
by Special Agent WALLACE R. HEITMAN /gmf Date dictated 12/31/63

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date December 14, 1963

JAMES A. SPENCER, 68 South Elm Street, Wallingford, Connecticut, an automobile salesman by occupation, presently unemployed, advised of the following information:

SPENCER is married, has five children, and resides with his wife, JOAN P. SPENCER, and his children at the above Connecticut address. From early in February, 1961 to the end of August, 1961, he resided at the Parkchester Apartments on Duplessis Street, New Orleans, Louisiana. His family had resided with him at that address, however, his wife and children came to Wallingford, Connecticut in July of 1961 and he followed them to Connecticut in September, 1961.

During the same period, February to August, 1961, SPENCER was employed as an automobile salesman by the Dumas and Milnes Chevrolet Company, 4049 South Carrolton Street, at the corner of Tulane Avenue in New Orleans.

Shortly after the assassination of President KENNEDY, he observed a photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD on television. He immediately felt that he had seen OSWALD somewhere but, at the time, he could not recall the place or the circumstances, and the name LEE HARVEY OSWALD did not mean anything to him at the time.

A few days ago, while looking through his billfold, he found a business card, which he had used while employed as salesman by the Dumas and Milnes Company in New Orleans. On the back of the card was a notation in his (SPENCER's) handwriting, "LEE OSWALD, Magazine St". SPENCER stated that finding this card had refreshed his recollection and he now recalls that, while he was employed at the Dumas and Milnes Company in New Orleans, an individual came to the car lot and seemed to be quite interested in a particular car. He does not recall the particular car this individual was interested in, but believes it was similar to his own car, which is a 1958 Chevrolet. He does not recall when it was that this individual came to the car lot but stated the same individual returned a second time. He dealt with this individual on both occasions but he does not know

On 12/13/63 at Wallingford, Connecticut File # NH 100-18158  
 by SA LEONARD F. JOHNSON/hmg Date dictated 12/14/63

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Report of:	<u>SA LEONARD F. JOHNSON</u>	Office:	<u>NEW HAVEN</u>
Date:	<u>December 14, 1963</u>		
Field Office File No.:	<u>100-18158</u>	Bureau File No.:	<u>105-82555</u>
Title:	<u>LEE HARVEY OSWALD</u>		

REF. "OSWALD" AT  
DUMAS CHEVROLET, 1961

Character: INTERNAL SECURITY - R

Synopsis:

JAMES A. SPENCER, Wallingford, Conn. unemployed car salesman; formerly employed February to August, 1961 at Dumas and Milnes Chevrolet Co., New Orleans, Louisiana, advised individual who identified self as LEE OSWALD with address Magazine St. attempted to purchase a car through him at above concern on unrecalled date. He states this OSWALD impressed him as a "character" and had spoken favorably of Cuba and appeared to have been very enthusiastic about CASTRO. He could not recall this individual as having mentioned having any connection with the Fair Play for Cuba Committee or with any other group or organization.

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DETAILS:

whether this individual had any contact with anyone else connected with the Dumas and Milnes Company.

SPENCER stated that, as he recalled, there was some question of the ability of that individual to make a down payment and, on the occasion of the second visit, both went across the street for coffee at a Wahlgren Drug Store. At some time during the conversation he managed to get the name and address of the individual and wrote his name and address on the back of one of his business cards. He stated that, at the time, this individual made quite an impression on him as he considered the man to be quite a "character". He stated that, although he cannot recall any specific statements this man made, the man spoke at length about Cuba and appeared to be very enthusiastic about CASTRO. SPENCER stated that, at that time, there was quite a large group of persons in New Orleans which SPENCER said was interested in "Fair Play for Castro". He could not recall whether or not this man had said he was connected in any way with any such group. He stated there had been some individuals passing out handbills favorable to Cuba at various times on the very corner on which the Dumas and Milnes Company is located. He stated, however, that he never saw the man he knew as OSWALD engaging in any such activity. He further stated that he could not recall that this man had ever mentioned having any connection with the Fair Play for Cuba Committee or with any other group or organization.

SPENCER stated that he could not recall having actually sold an automobile to this man and he does not know whether this man ever purchased an automobile from the Dumas and Milnes Company.

SPENCER stated that this man had made such an impression on him as being an "odd ball" that he mentioned him to his wife at the time. He noted that it was seldom that he ever mentioned anything about his customers to his wife.

SPENCER stated that he could not recall the physical description of the man he knew as OSWALD and he had no further information concerning the man, other than that he felt the man was a "very self sustaining individual" because he insisted on paying for his own cup of coffee.

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SPENCER advised that he had recently discussed this matter with a friend of his who sometimes writes articles for a newspaper and it was suggested that if he could determine that the man he knew as OSWALD was identical with the OSWALD who had been charged with the assassination of President KENNEDY, he might be able to get an article syndicated as a human interest story. He stated that for this reason, although there is not much doubt in his mind that they were one and the same person, he had telephoned the FBI Office at New Haven, Connecticut on the night of December 12, 1963 seeking to learn if the New Orleans address of the man charged with the assassination of the President was the same as the address of the LEE OSWALD with whom he had come in contact.

SPENCER stated he did not think the information he had would be of any significance to the Government for if he had, he stated he would have immediately called it to the attention of the FBI.

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date December 14, 1963

Mrs. JOAN P. SPENCER, wife of JAMES A. SPENCER, 68 South Elm Street, Wallingford, Connecticut, advised of the following information:

She resided with her husband at New Orleans, Louisiana from February to June, 1961. She advised that her husband, who was employed as a car salesman while in New Orleans, had frequently spoken to her of different customers. She recalled that he had spoken to her of one customer who seemed to have particularly impressed her husband as being some sort of a "character". She could not recall, however, the name of this particular individual nor could she recall anything her husband had said about that individual.

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LEE HARVEY OSWALD AND JACK RUBENSTEIN

There is some information, most of which is in the rumor stage, some of which is fairly reliable, furnished through a source of Mr. Ed Guinn as follows:

- (1) A red convertible used in the Miami, Florida, parade sponsored by the Fair Play for Cuba Committee was stoned by the Cubans. This same rock-marked car bearing Florida license plates was seen coming from Oklahoma to Dallas prior to the assassination. There is a report that the convertible was stashed at Rubenstein's apartment in Oak Cliff and was to be used for a get-a-way by Oswald. (This matter is being investigated by the FBI but there has been no positive information obtained by them to this point).
- (2) Officer Tippitt stopped Lee Oswald two blocks from Rubenstein's apartment when Oswald was headed in that direction. (This is apparently true and it is well possible that Oswald was headed for Rubenstein's apartment).
- (3) A rifle with a silencer has been found. (There is no information which would indicate that this is so, but it is still being checked).
- (4) Oswald had \$1,000 on his person when arrested. (This was categorically denied by Chief Curry to me).
- (5) Jack Rubenstein had a communist party roommate who was also a homosexual when he lived on Oak Lawn. The communist party member moved in August. Shortly thereafter Rubenstein rented a room next door to where he lived for Lee Harvey Oswald. Oswald was obnoxious and the landlady ran him off. (The Oak Lawn apartment is Eva Grant's, sister of Jack Rubenstein. A confidential source is checking out this information at the present time and if there is anything to it, we will be advised).
- (6) There were two secret service agents shot and one was killed. (This could be partially true as Chief Bachelor of the Police Department early on the day of the assassination reported that a Secret Service man who was in the car was killed. The purpose of trying to hide the death of the secret service man seems highly illogical if it is in fact true.)

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OSWALD's reason for attempt at registering to vote was due to referral by retired Representative Reeves Morgan, Jackson, Louisiana, whom he approached for assistance in getting a job at Jackson State Hospital (East Louisiana State Hospital) as an electrician (there was a vacancy in this field at that time and OSWALD stated he knew there was a vacancy and he wanted it.) He was referred to Representative Morgan for assistance by one LEE McGEE, barber in Jackson who had cut OSWALD's hair at that time.

On May 25, 1967, we approached Representative Morgan to verify OSWALD's having been there. MR. MORGAN stated that this man (identified by his picture which we showed to him) had definitely been to see him at his home, identified himself as LEE OSWALD showing Armed Forces ID card - did want this job at Jackson badly - was peeved at having to go through so much "red tape" to get it. OSWALD came to MORGAN's home after dark. MORGAN was unable to say what kind of car OSWALD was driving. He also stated that within a few days after the assassination of the President, he, MR. MORGAN, called the FBI in Baton Rouge to report that (after seeing pictures of OSWALD in paper and hearing name again) this man had been to him looking for help to get a job. He was told by the FBI "Thanks, but we already know, we have him placed in that area at that time."

We have information that OSWALD's application for employment was seen and later unable to be found. This will be checked.

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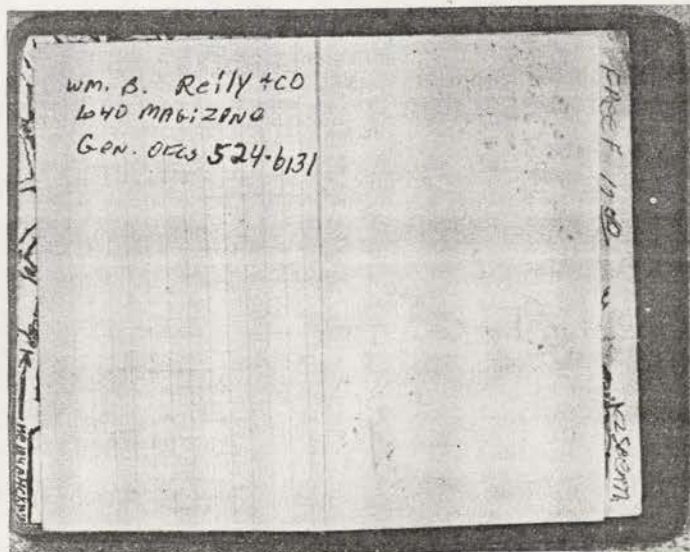
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Flyleaf 3: Top of page: Lee Harvey Oswald (in Russian transliteration).

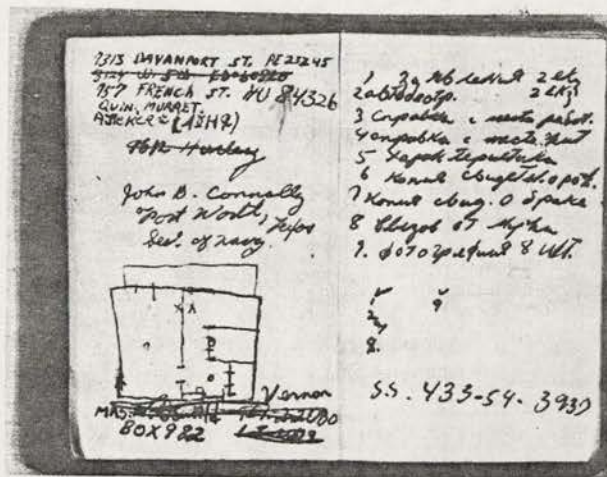


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Page 3: Rough street plan of Moscow, Russia, with the Kremlin in the center.



Page 4: Top of page: after the name "Quin, Murret": Aleksey (Lena).

Page 5:

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Translator's Note: Believed to be Russian bookstore in San Francisco.

Page 13: Wedding (ring)

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Translator's Note: The above is an address.

Page 15: Following the words "Given 22 May 1962":  
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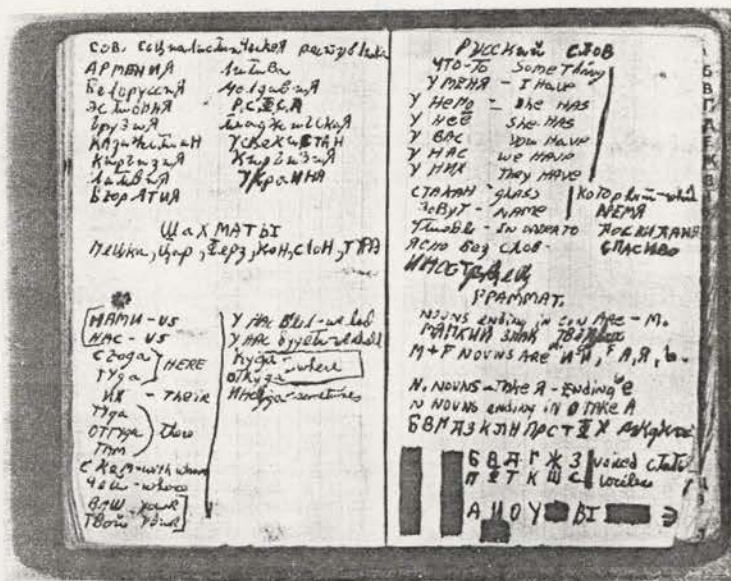
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Page 21: Bereshchagin (possibly, "Vereshchagin").  
(Translator's Note: Possibly a man's surname)

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Pages 22 and 23:  
 Calendar dates for March, April, October, November, December, January 1960 and February, with Russian abbreviations for days of the week.

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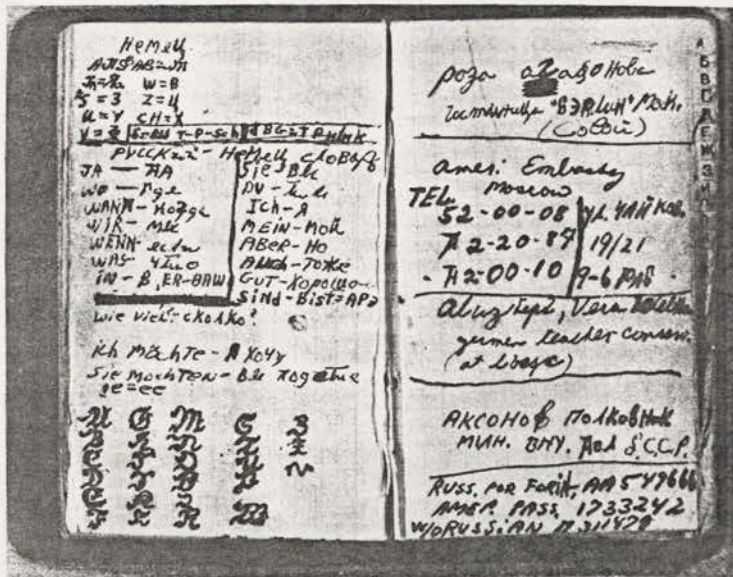


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Latvia	Ukraine
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	Chess
Pawn, King, Queen, Knight, Bishop,	
Castle.	
by us	we had
us	we shall have
here	where
there	from where
their	sometimes
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from there	
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with whom	
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Page 25:

something	Russian Words
I have	
he has	
she has	
you have	
we have	
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glass	which
they call	time
in order to	good bye
clear without words	Thank you
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Soft sign	hard sign
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Feminine a, ya, soft sign	
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Neuter nouns ending in "o" take "a"	
B, V, M, D, Z, K, L, N, P, R, S, T, T(?),	
Kh, M, K, G Kh?	
BVDGZhZ	voiced article
PFTKShS	voiceless
ΔΙΟΥΥΙ	E



Page 26:

German  
 Alphabet  
 Jn-Ya W-V  
 S-Z Z-ic  
 I-Y CH-kh  
 V-F S-Sh T-P-Sch/d BG-  
 TRILIK (?)  
 Russian-German dictionary  
 JA=yes SIE-you  
 WO-where DU-thou (?)  
 WANN-when Ich-I  
 WIR-we Mein-my  
 WENN-if Aber-but  
 WAS-what Anch-also  
 IN-in ER-YOUR Gut-good  
 Sind-Bist-Are (?)  
 wie viel?-how much?  
 Ich möchte-I want  
 sie möchten-you want  
 je-her  
 (followed by Gothic German alphabet)

Page 27 (A1):

Rosa Agadonova  
 Hotel "Berlin" Mak (?)  
 (Sovoy) (Savoy?)  
 Amer. Embassy  
 Moscow  
 Tel. 52-00-08/Chaikovsky St.  
 19/21  
 9-6-business (?)  
 Alizberg, Vera V.—(Illegible)  
 Aksonov, Colonel  
 Ministry of Internal Affairs of the USSR

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 ROTTERDAM 120200  
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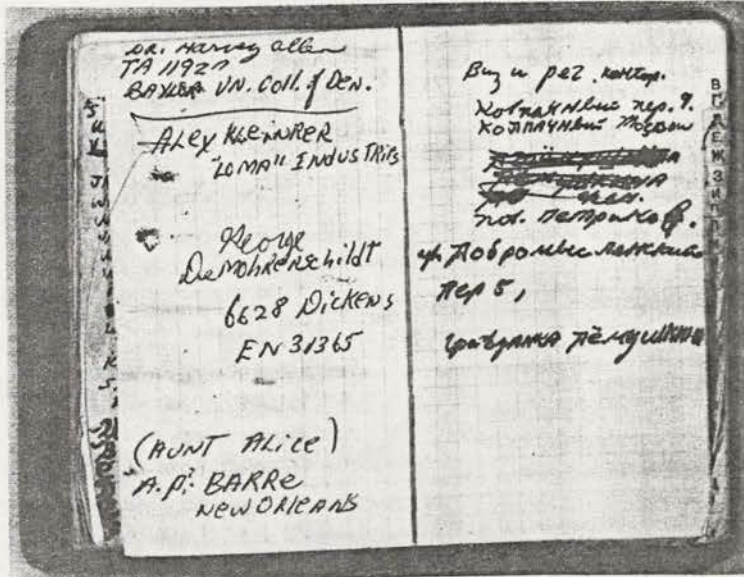
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Vneshtorg Bank  
 Bank for Foreign Trade  
 Moscow  
 Neglinnaya Ul. 12  
 Kozlova (woman's surname)  
 K-03400 (telephone number)  
 (792) (possibly telephone extension)

Page 28 (A2):  
 Bottom line:  
 Debovy or Debovy  
 (Translator's Note: significance of above  
 is unknown)

Page 29:  
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 Neglinnaya Ul. 12  
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 (792) (possibly telephone extension)

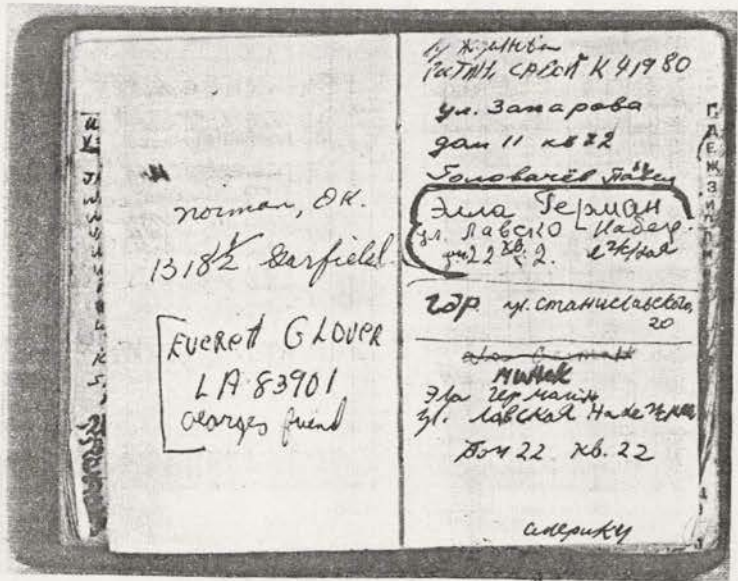
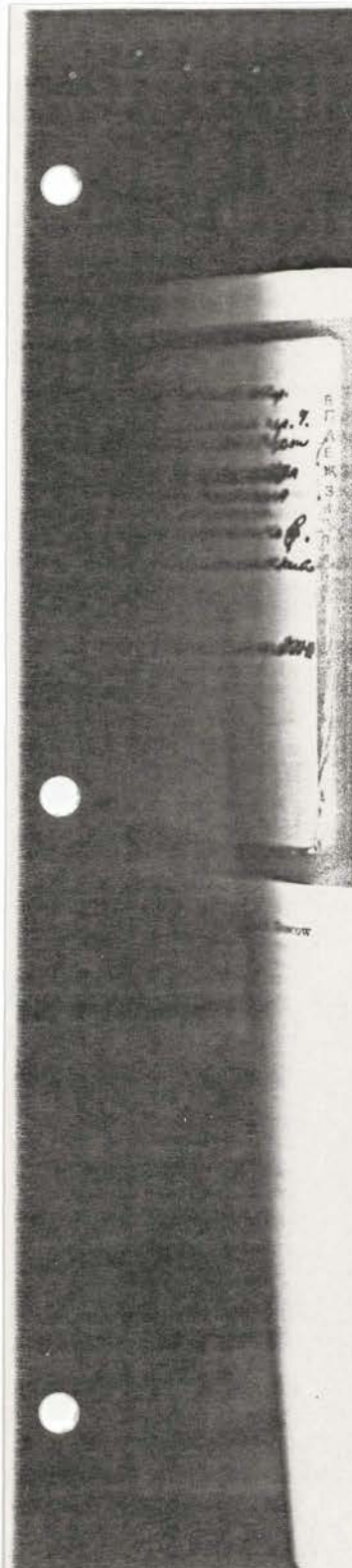
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Page 31:  
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 —Dobromyslenski  
 Lane 5  
 Citizen Demushkina

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"Alice" ?



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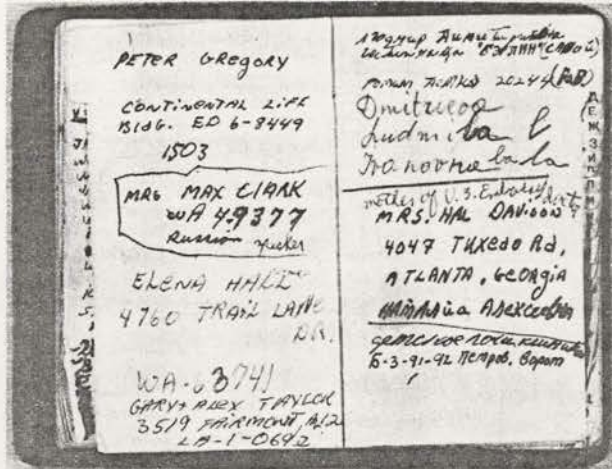
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Hotel Savoy (?) K 41980 (possibly telephone number)  
Ul (Street) Zakharova  
House No. 11, apt. 72  
Golovachev, Pavel (man's name)

Ella German  
Ul. Lavsko—Naberezhnaya (Embankment)  
No. 22, Apt. 2

Gdr. (?) Ul. Stanislavskogo  
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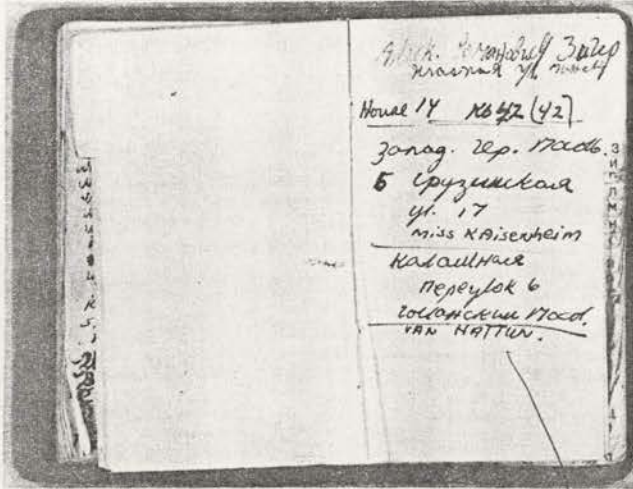


Page 35: Lyudmir (Lyudmila ?) Dmitrievna  
 Hotel "Berlin" (Savoy)  
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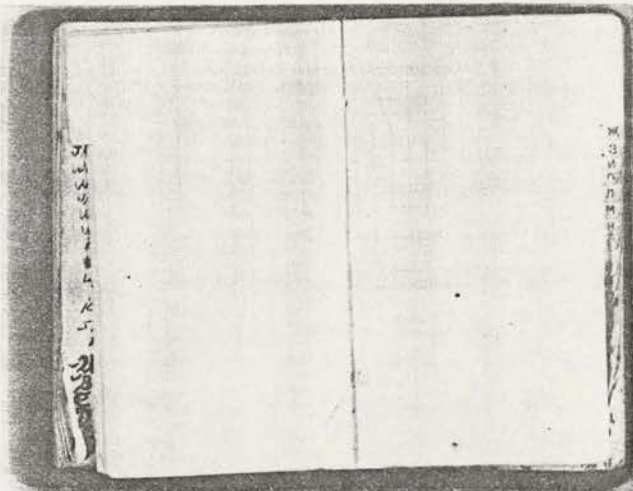


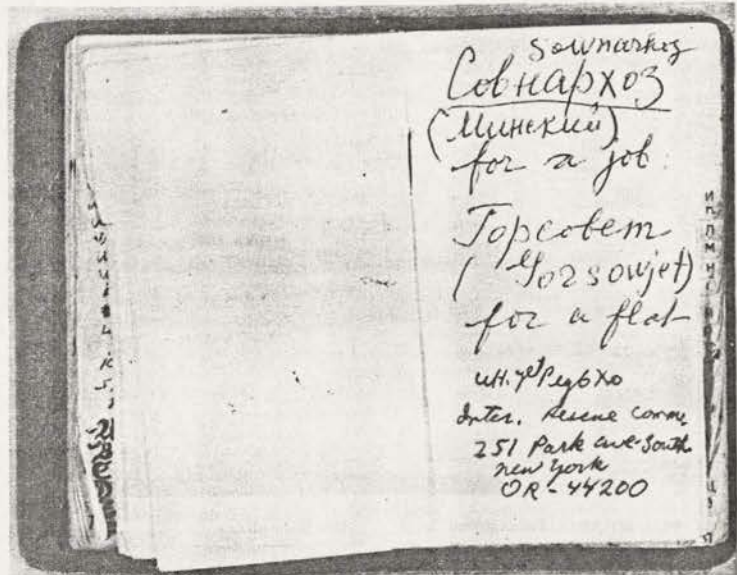
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 Krasnaya Ul., Minsk (?)  
 House 14, Apt. 42

Miss Kaisenheim

West German Embassy.  
 B. Gruzinskaya  
 Ul. 17

Kalashnaya  
 Lane 6  
 Dutch Embassy  
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Page 43:  
Sovnarkhoz (Council of the National Economy) of Minsk  
for a job  
Gorsoviet (City Council)  
for a flat  
Inderedko (Inter. Rescue Committee ?)

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Minsk ул. Карла Маркса, 35  
Кон. Нарокхов. ? Тел. 206311  
Ком. Дядев Ком. 279

20575 Шарпов

Минск  
Дом 4 кв. 24  
Ул. Каллинина

Кузнецова, Роза  
Интур. ? 92-463

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Page 45:

7/18 Moscow, K 31 (?), Ul. Zhdanova

(above is an address)

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Kon. Narokhov. (? Tel. 206311

Comrade Dyadev Room 279

— (illegible)

20575 Sharapov

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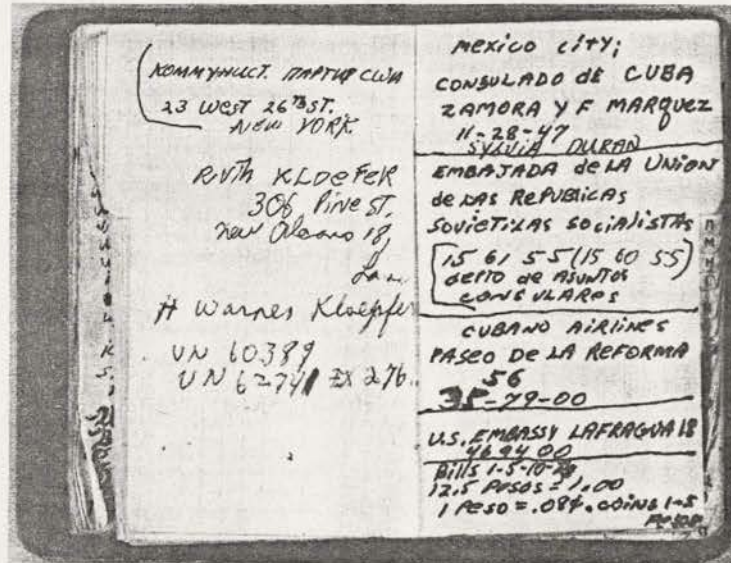
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Ul. Kola Misknera (?)

Nel Norodorskvim (?)

112 In(stitute) of Foreign Languages

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 Communist Party U. S. A.  
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 New York

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 Mexico City  
 Consulate of Cuba  
 Zamora and F. Marquez  
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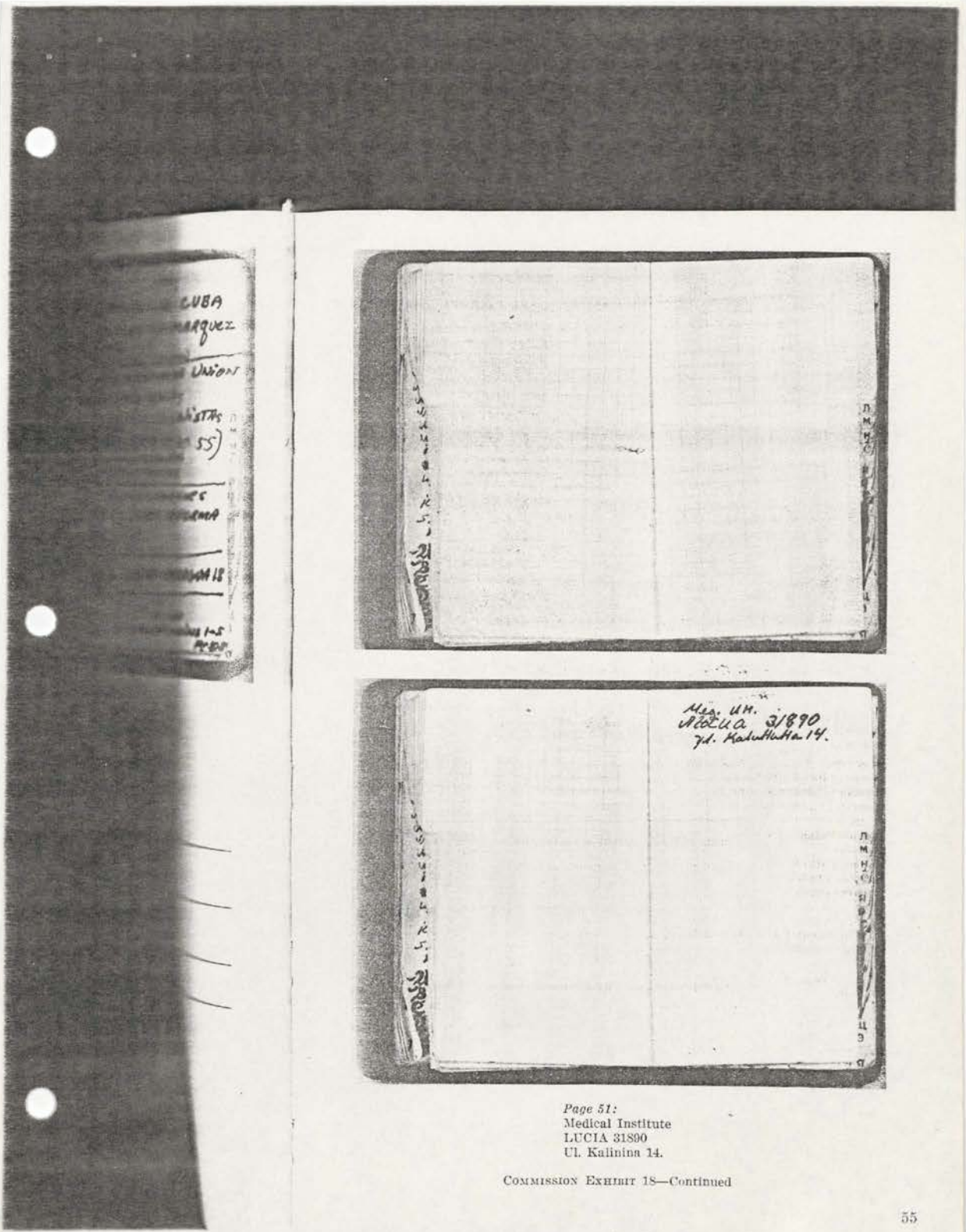
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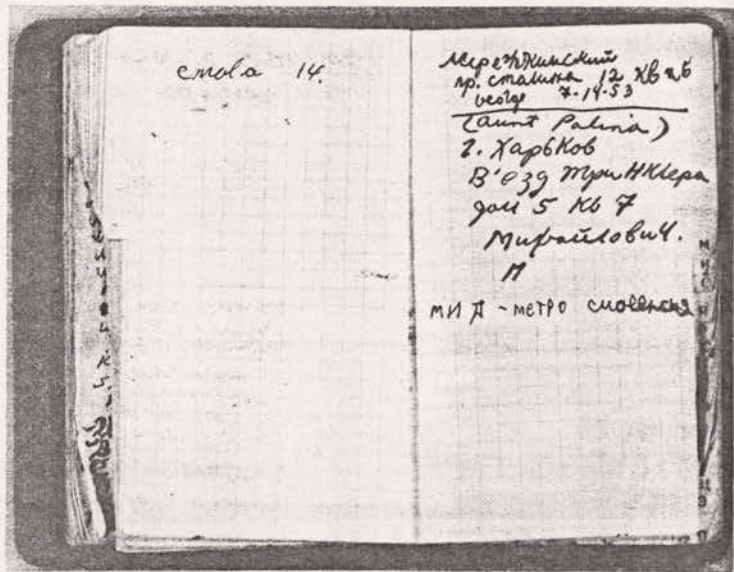
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Ul. Kalinina 14.



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Page 53:  
Merezhkinsky (man's name)  
Prospect Stalina 12, Apt. 26  
veogde (?) 7-14-53

(Aunt Palina)  
Kharkov  
V'ezed Trinklera  
House 5, Apt. 7  
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 ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA

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 (AMER. NATIONAL PARTY)  
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 NAT. SOCIALIST BULLETIN

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 Notary Office Ul. Zalka.  
 from 9 to 18:30

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 Saturday 9-13  
 Closed Sunday

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Page 57:  
OVIR (?) Moscow  
U. Ogareva  
VZha D.A. Vlgeda (?)

K 45026  
DD 10206  
DD 19106

Ostankino (residence of Russian writer Boris Pasternak)

—(illegible) "B"

OVIR, Moscow  
Kolpachny Lane 9

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Въезд Trinkлера  
д. 5 кв. 7.  
Михайловы  
(для Марины)

MR. PHILIPES  
LI-22080

ПРОШУСКА КОНЦАРМ К-78545  
ПАСПОРТ № П311479 4 ЯНН. 60  
МИНСК 25 994 EX-39

Владим Петрович  
Учитель Москва ИИ. ОР. ЯИ.

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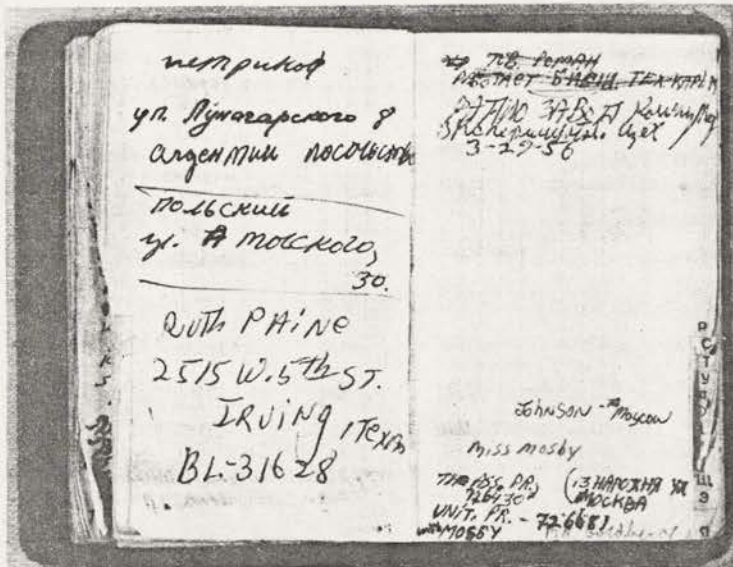
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Калинина 30  
Д 39 1620

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Kharkov  
V'ezd Trinklera (Trinkler's Gate?)  
House 5, Apt. 7  
the Mikhaylovs  
(for Marina)

Page 59:  
Registry Office K-78545  
Passport No. P311479 Jan. 4(?) 60  
Minsk 25994 Ex-39  
Vidim (Vadim?) Petrovich  
Teacher, Moscow, IN. OR. Yak.

Riga  
Ul. Pernovas  
House 39, Apt. 1  
Pogorelskaya,  
Lena (Lena Pogorelskaya is a woman's name)  
Tel. 70540  
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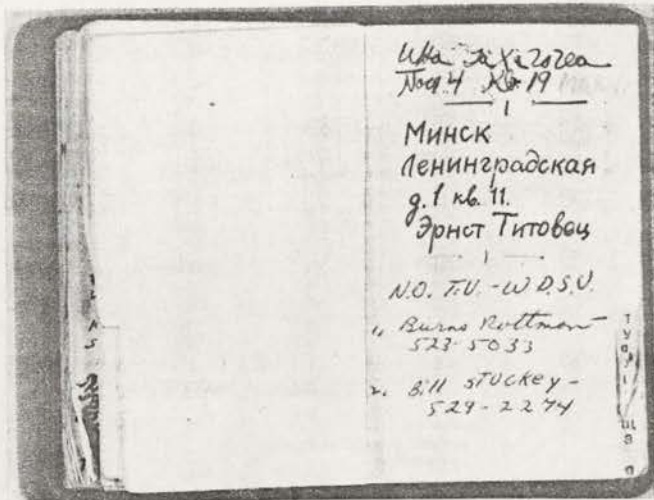
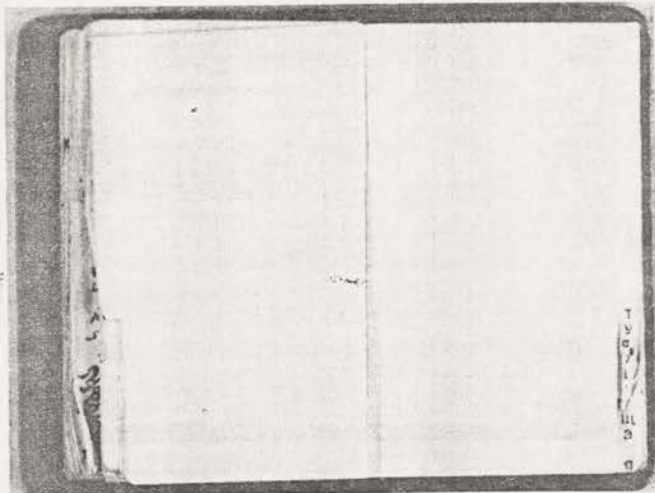
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Argentine Embassy

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Works (at) Karl Marx Technical Library")  
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Experimental Shop  
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THE ASS. PR. (13 Narodnaya Ul. Moscow)  
726430  
Unit PR.  
with Mosby

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Ina Takhagoeva (?) (woman's name)  
House 4, Apt. 19, in Minsk  
Minsk  
Leningradskaya  
House 1, Apt. 1  
Ernst Titovets (man's name)

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7018 SUTLEY  
HOUSTON, TEXAS

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Jepes school depositary  
Mr. Truley  
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24th Div. CCCP  
of Kuybysheva, TP  
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Katya Ford  
Debra Ford  
P.D. - 95642  
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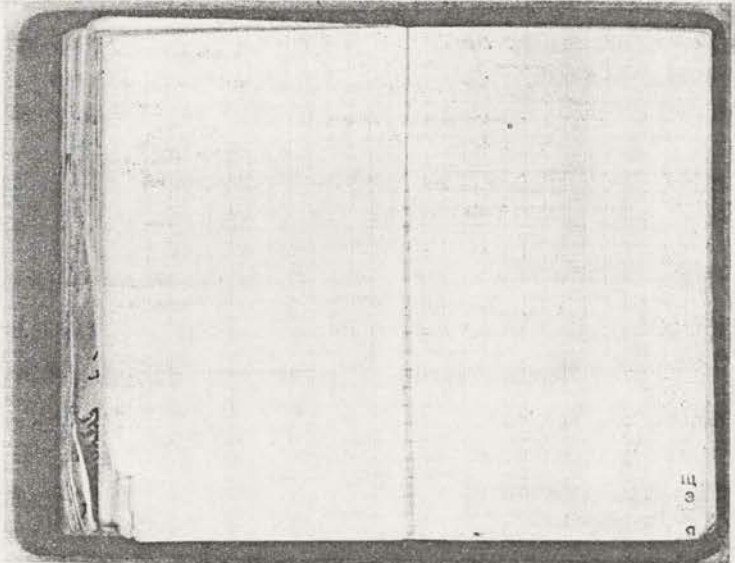
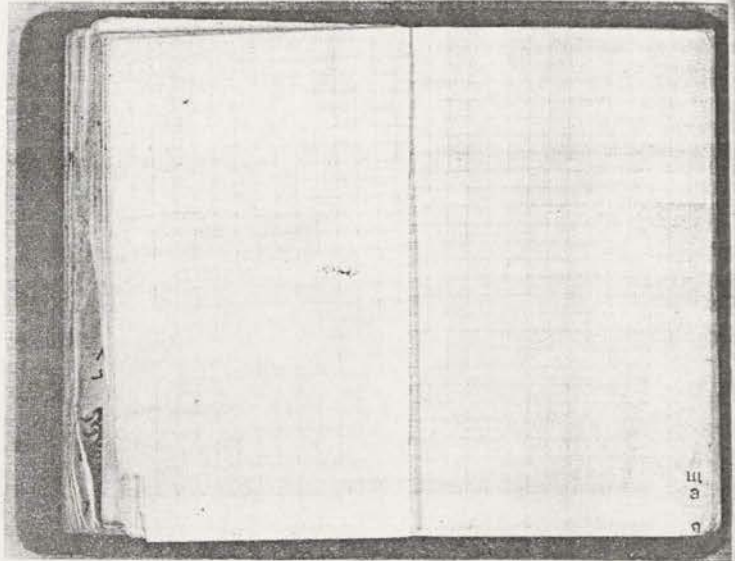
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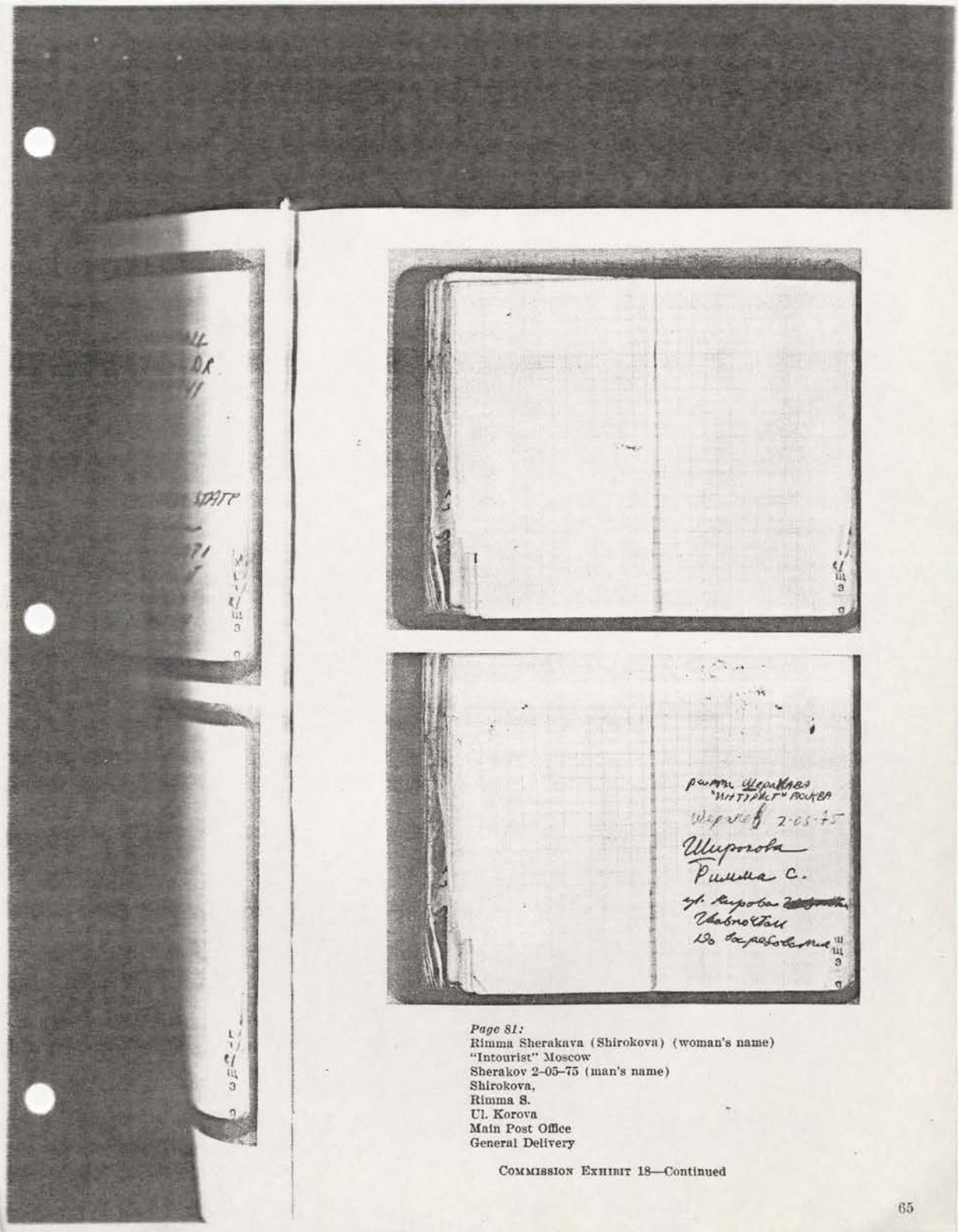
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Mr. Hodson

Nov 1, 1962  
FBI agent R. H. H. H.  
JAMES P. Hasty  
MU 8605  
114 Commercial St  
Dallas



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Rimma Sherakava (Shirokova) (woman's name)  
"Intourist" Moscow  
Sherakov 2-05-75 (man's name)  
Shirokova,  
Rimma S.  
Ul. Korova  
Main Post Office  
General Delivery

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Culson Hotel  
Directorate  
107 Decatur St  
New Orleans La  
Carlos Bringuier

N.O. City Editor Cowan  
David Crawford  
reprints

117 Camp <sup>Culson</sup> apt  
107 Decatur <sup>store</sup>  
1032 Canal

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ORGANIZATION  
80 CLINTON ST. N.Y. 2, N.Y.  
"ADVANCE" YOUTH ORGAN.

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CLUB 2730 SNYDER AV.  
RUSS. LAW SCHOOL  
1212 SPRUCE

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JEFFERSON Bldg.

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1737 Spring Garden

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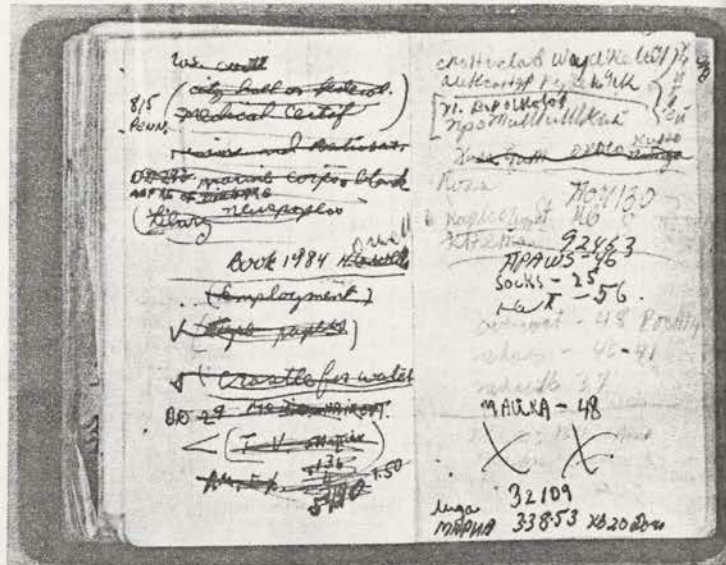
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RUSSIAN DAILY PAPER  
PHILADELPHIA (OR IN)

FINGER PRINTS  
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MAIL  
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OR

1500 Spring Garden St. Phila.



Rear flyleaf 1:  
 Stanislav Shushkevich —Teachers  
 Aleksandr Rudenchek (or Rubenchek)  
 P. Vorosholov (?)—Teachers  
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 "Pobeda"  
 (Possibly meaning "near the Pobeda movie theater")  
 Rosa (woman's name) House 130  
 Apt. 8  
 Karla Oginkmeta (Liebknecht ?) Street (?)  
 Sweat shirt—48  
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 Apt. 20 House (sic)

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Leonard Calverley  
72071  
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Howard Hester  
Mrs. M. Osmond  
from Mrs. M. Osmond. *Levin*  
*Stewart*

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MEMORANDUM

Re: OSWALD  
Re: TORRES  
Re: TRAINING CAMPS

May 14, 1969

TO: JIM GARRISON, District Attorney  
FROM: ANDREW SCIAMBRA, Assistant District Attorney  
RE: SHAW LEADS II  
(Interview with SAMUEL WILLIAMS  
New Orleans Police Department)

*Q: CAMPBELL'S  
first name?  
(Apparently  
AL - See  
Sciambra May  
'69, memo)  
(See, also,  
interview same  
date w. his  
brother, DAN  
CAMPBELL)*

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WILLIAMS said that he was stationed at the Marine LTA base in Santa Monica, California. He said that he has never met LEE HARVEY OSWALD and has no knowledge about him. He said that he did not tell CAMPBELL anything in regard to LEE HARVEY OSWALD. He says that he know CAMPBELL a long time and CAMPBELL tends to exaggerate quite a bit. He says that he understands from the newspaper that OSWALD was at the base during the same time that he was but that he never did meet him. He said that CAMPBELL was never stationed at LTA and only came to see him on the week-ends. He said that CAMPBELL got a hardship discharge from the Marine Corps in 1961 but actually he did not help his mother and went to live in the Quarter in the 1100 block of Royal Street.

WILLIAMS said that in his opinion CAMPBELL is not very reliable. WILLIAMS said that CAMPBELL worked for a movie company which JIM GLEASON ran. WILLIAMS said that CAMPBELL was working with anti-Castro groups in 1963, and was attending meetings of the Cuban Revolutionary Front) CAMPBELL wanted WILLIAMS to get involved in anti-Castro activities because WILLIAMS had spent some time at Guantanamo Base in Cuba in the service. However, WILLIAMS did not want to get involved. WILLIAMS said that CAMPBELL talked quite a bit about MIGUEL TORRES and about a training camp across the lake. CAMPBELL asked WILLIAMS if he, WILLIAMS, would be a weapons instructor at the camp. WILLIAMS declined. CAMPBELL told WILLIAMS that he was a weapons instructor at the camp. WILLIAMS said that CAMPBELL is a very good rifle shot and was a member of the Marine Rifle Team.

WILLIAMS said that CAMPBELL was very concerned about a tall blond-haired girl whose life had been threatened because she supposedly gave some information to a pro-Castro group.

WILLIAMS said that CAMPBELL never mentioned FERRIE, OSWALD or SHAW. WILLIAMS said the first time he heard OSWALD's name was after the assassination.

WILLIAMS says that he remembers CAMPBELL talking about SERGIO ARCACHA SMITH and some Cubans who lived at 2427-29 State Street. These Cubans supposedly were deeply involved with anti-Castro activities.

*Andrew J. Sciambra*  
ANDREW J. SCIAMBRA

For: Indicated file.  
JZ

M E M O R A N D U M

Re: THORNLEY  
Re: OSWALD

November 7, 1967

TO: JIM GARRISON, District Attorney

FROM: TOM BETHELL

RE: MARINE CORPS SERVICE OF OSWALD, HEINDEL & THORNLEY  
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OSWALD, HEINDEL and THORNLEY served in the Marine Corps throughout the following periods:

NAME	FROM	TO
OSWALD	October 26, 1956	September 11, 1959
HEINDEL	July 15, 1957	July 15, 1961
THORNLEY	Approx. Sep. 1958	Approx. Sep. 1960

(The exact dates of THORNLEY's service are not recorded in his testimony. He had been in the Marine Corps Reserve "for many years" and went on active duty around September 1958 "to serve my two year obligation in the Marine Reserve") (11 H 84)

DETAILS OF LEE HARVEY OSWALD'S SERVICE

- Oct. 26, 1956 Reported for duty, San Diego, Calif.
- Jan. 18, 1957 Reported to Camp Pendleton, Calif., for further training. (Weekend trip to Tijuana at this time.)
- Feb. 27 2 weeks leave. (Possibly taken in Fort Worth.)
- Mar. 18 To Naval Air Technical Training Center at Naval Air Station in Jacksonville, Fla. Granted security clearance up to 'confidential' level.
- May 3 Left for Keesler Airforce Base, Biloxi, Miss.
- June 17 Finished course.
- June 20 On leave.
- June 25 Became an Aviation Electronics Operator.
- July 9 To Marine Corps Air Station, El Toro, (near Santa Ana), Calif.
- Aug. 22 Departed for Yokosuka, Japan, onboard U.S.S. Bexar.
- Sep. 12 Arrived Japan. OSWALD assigned to Marine Air control Squadron No. 1 at Atsugi, as radar operator.
- Oct. 27 Accidentally shot himself in the elbow.
- Nov. 15 Discharged from hospital.
- Nov. 20 Maneuvers in Philippine Islands, & Corregidor.
- Mar. 18, 1958 Returned to Atsugi.
- Apr. 11 Court martial for possession of unregistered weapon.
- June 27 Second court martial for pouring drink at NCO.
- Sep. 14 Sailed for South China Sea.

Oct. 5 Returned to Atsugi.  
 Nov. 2 Departed for U.S. aboard U.S.N.S. Barrett  
 Nov. 15 Arrived San Francisco  
 Nov. 19 30 days leave.  
 Dec. 22 Assigned to Marine Air Control Squadron at El Toro.  
 Feb. 25, 1959 Took foreign language qualification test.  
 "Spring" Met KERRY THORNLEY and NELSON DELGADO.  
 Mar. 19 Applied to Albert Schweitzer College.  
 Aug. 17 Submitted request for Dependency Discharge.  
 Aug. 28 Approval recommended by Dependency Discharge Board.  
 Sep. 4 Applied for passport in Santa Ana.  
 Sep. 4 Transferred out of MACS-9 "in preparation for his  
 discharge."  
 Sep. 10 Passport "routinely issued".  
 Sep. 11 Transferred to Marine Corps Reserves.  
 Sep. 14 Arrived in Fort Worth  
 Sep. 17 Arrived in New Orleans  
 Sep. 20 S.S. Marion Lykes sailed for Europe with OSWALD  
 aboard.

JOHN RENE HEINDEL

Stated by affidavit ( 8 H 318) that he was in the Marine Corps from July 15, 1957 until July 15, 1961. He was stationed at Atsugi with OSWALD. Under oath HEINDEL stated he does not recall seeing OSWALD at El Toro. In his statement of September 19, 1967, HEINDEL says "OSWALD must have been on the same ship with us." OSWALD departed for Japan on August 22, 1957, and HEINDEL says he arrived at Atsugi in the latter part of August, 1957.

KERRY THORNLEY

In his affidavit of September 28, 1967 recalls that OSWALD spoke Russian in the ranks at El Toro, not Atsugi, in the Spring of 1959. THORNLEY was not asked if he had been to Atsugi. He left El Toro and went "overseas" in June 1959. (11 H 85). THORNLEY testified that he arrived in New Orleans on either September 3 or 4, 1963 (11 H 110). He had come from Mexico City, where he had spent six days.

There follows a list of names of people who served in the Marines and who either did or might have known OSWALD:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>SOURCE OF INFORMATION</u>
Kerry Thornley	Testimony, 11 H 82 - 115
John Rene Heindel	Aff Affidavit, 8 H 318
Nelson Delgado	Testimony, 8 H 228 - 265
Richard Cole	8 H 322
Allen Felde	Warren Report, p. 682
Daniel Powers	Testimony, 8 H 266 - 289
Paul Edward Murphy	8 H 320
John Donovan	Testimony, 8 H 289 - 303
Henry T. Rousell	8 H 320
Oval Jones	Heindel FBI interview

<u>NAME</u>	<u>SOURCE OF INFORMATION</u>
Leonard Corfley	Heindel Testimony
Harry Cook	"
Bob Hall	"
Bob Moska	"
Jerry Cox	"
Sgt. Bennerfield	"
James Anthony Botelho	8 H 315
Donald Peter Camarta	8 H 316
Peter Francis Connor	8 H 317
Allen D. Graf	8 H 318
David Christie Murray	8 H 319
Erwin Donald Lewis	8 H 323
Mack Osborne	8 H 321
(FNU) Dijonovich	Delgado Testimony
M/Sgt. Spar	Thornley Testimony
Colonel Poindexter	"
Charles Weis	"
(FNU) Cooley	"
Lt. Cupenack	Delgado Testimony
Don Murray	"
PFC Wald	"
St. Funk	"
Lt. Depadro	"
Sgt. Lusk	"
Walt Watts	"

98 File

Re: OSWALD  
(N.O. Movements)

M E M O R A N D U M

October 17, 1967

TO: JIM GARRISON, District Attorney

FROM: TOM BETHELL

RE: OSWALD'S MOVEMENTS IN NEW ORLEANS

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LEE HARVEY OSWALD left his job with the Reilly Coffee Company on July 19, 1963. He left for Mexico on September 25, 1963.

During this two month period, his whereabouts are established, or allegedly established as follows:

1. MARINA OSWALD'S TESTIMONY

Interviewed on 11/28/63 by FBI agents Heitman and Boguslar, "Mrs. OSWALD was asked what OSWALD did during the time he was unemployed. She said:

'He sat around the house all day reading. She said he read so much she often wondered why he did not get sores from sitting down so much. She said OSWALD visited the library regularly at New Orleans, where he checked out books mostly on history, but he also read books by Hemingway, Jack London, and Remarque. She said that she cannot accurately recall, but she believes that OSWALD went to the library and checked out books the day before Mrs. PAINE arrived. She said OSWALD went every Tuesday to pick up his unemployment check." (23 H 388)

The following exchange between J. LEE RANKIN and MARINA OSWALD on September 6, 1964 does not quite agree with the above statement.

RANKIN: When you lived in New Orleans and after your husband lost his job, did he stay away from home in the evenings much?

MRS. OSWALD: He was not at home during the day time, but he was at home most of the time in the evenings.

RANKIN: And by being at home in the evenings, what time do you mean -- from 6 o'clock on, or 7 o'clock, or what time?

MRS. OSWALD: After 7.

RANKIN: Did he ever show any signs of having been drinking or being drunk when he came home?

MRS. OSWALD: Never (5 H 615)

2. VISIT TO JESUIT HOUSE OF STUDIES

OSWALD & MARINA went to Mobile, Alabama to address the Jesuit House of Studies on July 27. He returned to New Orleans on July 28, 1963. (CE2649 25 H 921-28)

3. DATES OSWALD CHECKED OUT LIBRARY BOOKS

On May 27, 1963, OSWALD obtained a library card from the Napoleon Branch Library, 913 Napoleon Avenue, New Orleans CE 2650 (Secret Service report by JOHN W. RICE) indicates that OSWALD checked out books on the following dates during his unemployed period:

Thursday,	July 18	
Tuesday,	July 30	
Wednesday,	July 31	
Monday,	August 5	
Thursday,	August 8	
Monday,	August 12	
Thursday,	August 22	
Monday,	September 9	
Thursday,	September 19	(See 25 H 929-930)

4. DATES OSWALD PICKED UP UNEMPLOYMENT CHECKS

MARINA stated OSWALD picked up his checks on Tuesdays, (see above). This is consistent with the dates he filled out his Continued Interstate Claims, which was every Tuesday. Presumably, therefore, he filled out the form and picked up the check on the same day. The dates are as follows:

Tuesday	July 22
"	July 30
"	Aug. 6
"	Aug. 13
"	Aug. 20
"	Aug. 27
"	Sep. 3
"	Sep. 10
"	Sep. 17
"	Sep. 24

5. DATES OSWALD CASHED UNEMPLOYMENT CHECKS

There is no certainty as to the dates the checks were cashed, although the date would have to be between OSWALD's picking up the check and the check being cleared by the bank, (which in some cases is known. See CD 75 p. 506). These checks were all cashed at one of the following stores:

Winn-Dixie #1404, Winn-Dixie #1425;  
Winn-Dixie #1439; Brown's Velvet Dairy.

6. OSWALD ENCOUNTERS WITH BRINGUIER

CARLOS BRINGUIER testified (10 H 35) that he met OSWALD on Monday, August 5 in his clothing store on Decatur Street. (Casa Roca, 107 Decatur St.) Philip Geraci and Vance Blalock also saw OSWALD on this occasion.

On Friday, August 9, BRINGUIER encountered OSWALD distributing leaflets on Canal Street. They both went to jail that day. (10 H 38). OSWALD spent that night in jail and was interviewed on Saturday, August 10 by Lieut. MARTELO and FBI Agent LESTER QUIGLEY.

OSWALD and BRINGUIER appeared in Municipal Court on Monday, August 12, at which time OSWALD paid a \$10 fine; WDSU interviewed OSWALD for television at this time.

7. OSWALD PASSING OUT LEAFLETS IN FRONT OF TRADE MART

On Friday, August 16, OSWALD was televised passing out leaflets in front of the International Trade Mart on Camp St. (Warren Report, p. 729). On the same day, CARLOS BRINGUIER testified, he sent a "friend" round to OSWALD's house to speak to OSWALD, which he did, "for about 1 hour". (10 H 41). The friend was CARLOS QUIROGA.

The last occasion when BRINGUIER saw OSWALD was about 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, August 21, at WDSU radio station. (10 H 42). On that occasion, ED BUTLER of INCA, and BILL STUCKEY, were also there.

8. BILL STUCKEY TESTIMONY

BILL STUCKEY testified that he first met OSWALD, at OSWALD's house, at about 8:00 a.m. on Saturday, August 17, at which time OSWALD was wearing "Marine Corps fatigue trousers." (11 H 160). At 5 o'clock that evening OSWALD appeared at WDSU radio station, and recorded a program which was played that night. ("Latin Listening Post")

Later, on "August 19 or 20" (11 H 166) OSWALD telephoned STUCKEY and agreed to appear on "Conversation Carte Blanche", and OSWALD appeared again for that program on Wednesday, August 21,

at WDSU station. After the program he had a drink with OSWALD alone at COMEAUX's bar on Royal Street.

These were the only occasions STUCKEY met OSWALD.

9. RUTH PAINE ARRIVAL IN NEW ORLEANS

RUTH PAINE arrived in New Orleans during the mid-afternoon, either on Friday, September 20 ( 3 H 5) or on Saturday, September 21. ( 3 H 7). She adds, "My recollection is that he (OSWALD) was present most of the weekend." (3 H 8) RUTH KLOEPFER also visited the OSWALD's on Sunday, September 22nd. (3 H 8). On Sunday, also, OSWALD packed the car in preparation for RUTH and MARINA's departure. (3 H 9).

RUTH PAINE left with MARINA and the children on Monday, September 23rd.

10. CHANGE OF ADDRESS ORDER

OSWALD filled out a change of address card on Tuesday, September 24, re-routing his mail to 2515 W. 5th Street, Irving, Texas. (CE 2476 25 H 670)

11. WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1963

On this date OSWALD collected an unemployment check from his P.O. Box in New Orleans, cashed it, and probably boarded a bus en route for Mexico City. (Warren Report, p. 731).

12. LETTERS TO V. T. LEE, NATIONAL DIRECTOR OF FPCC.

OSWALD wrote letters to V. T. LEE which bear OSWALD's address on Magazine Street and the following dates:

Thursday, Aug. 1 (envelope shows 6:30 p.m. Aug. 4)  
Monday, Aug. 12 (no envelope)  
Saturday, Aug. 17 (envelope shows 6:00 p.m. Aug. 17)

There is no certainty OSWALD was in New Orleans on August 1 and August 4, of course, but alternatively, there is no reason for supposing he was not.

13. OSWALD AT MEXICAN CONSULATE

OSWALD obtained a 15 day visa from the Mexican Consulate in New Orleans on Tuesday, September 17. (CE 2478)



14. OSWALD'S INTERSTATE CLAIMS FOR UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

In order to receive unemployment compensation during his unemployed period, OSWALD filed Continued Interstate Claims at the Division of Employment Security, 630 Camp St., New Orleans. These claims require that you "explain what you have done to find work." OSWALD filled out these forms every week and indicated that he had sought work during his unemployed period as follows: (See Burcham Exhibit, Vol 19, p. 224-234)

\*Mon.- July 22 (filed initial claim)  
 Tues- July 23: Stone Center  
 Wed.- " 24: Rex Photography  
 Fri.- " 26: O'Donnell Brothers Printing;  
           Offset Production & Design  
 Mon.- " 29: Southern Printing; Krause-Bon Studio  
 \*Tues- " 30: Godchaux's, Canal St.; Coca Cola Bottling Co.  
 Fri.- Aug. 2 : Winston Printing Co.  
 Sat.- " 3 : United Fruit Co.; Nifty Printing Co.  
 Mon.- " 5 : Union Printing Co.  
 \*Tues- " 6 : Cosmos Shipping  
 Wed.- " 7 : Katz & Bestoff  
 Fri.- " 9 : Ables Commercial Photography  
 Mon.- " 12: Bernados-Weiss Photography; Hartman Studios.  
 \*Tues- " 13: (filed claim)  
 Wed.- " 14: Esso Company  
 Thur- " 15: Print Rollers, Inc.  
 Fri.- " 16: Times-Picayune; States-Item.  
 Sun.- " 18: Bestoff Drugstore (darkroom)  
 Mon.- " 19: Krains Shoes; Pedro Art Studio;  
           Thomas Barberito  
 \*Tues- " 20: Schultz Bookkeeping. (clerk)  
 Thur- " 22: Jean Guccione (photographer)  
 Fri.- " 23: Lee Tilton Studio (darkroom)  
 Mon.- " 26: Bill Coran Studio (photographer)  
 \*Tues- " 27: (filed claim)  
 Wed.- " 28: Francks Studio (photographer)  
 Thur- " 29: Rosen, 859 So. Front St. (Clerk)  
 Fri.- " 30: Reif or Ceif Studio (darkroom)  
 \*Tues- Sep. 3 : South Central Studio (darkroom)  
 Wed.- " 4 : Lincoln Photo Studio (Photo)  
 Thur- " 5 : Primary Color Lab (darkroom)  
 Fri.- " 6 : Dumas Milner Leasing (clerk)  
 Mon.- " 9 : McKenzie Shoppe; Marine & Industrial (clerk)  
 \*Tues- " 10: (filed claim)  
 Wed.- " 11: Jasimer Co. (clerk)  
 Thur- " 12: Rathborne Land & Lumber Co. (any)  
 Fri.- " 13: Sackett Studios (photo)  
 Sat.- " 14: Ansco Photo Supplies (photo)  
 \*Tues- " 17: (filed claim)  
 Wed.- " 18: Ajax, Inc., Photographers (photo)  
 Thur- " 19: W. B. Simson, Shipping (any)  
 Fri.- " 20: 532 Magazine, B. D. Co. (clerk)  
 \*Tues- " 24: (filed final claim)

It cannot be taken as established that OSWALD in fact sought work at any of the above establishments, in view of the ease with which he could have looked them up in the Yellow Pages, and simply filled in the names on the forms he filled out. It is especially unlikely that he sought work after obtaining his visa for Mexico on September 17.

Therefore the following summary of OSWALD's activities does not include reference to the above alleged attempts to obtain employment.

15. SUMMARY OF OSWALD'S MOVEMENTS WHILE UNEMPLOYED IN N. O.

JULY

Thursday	18	At library
Friday	19	Left Reily Coffee Co.
Saturday	20	
Sunday	21	
Monday	22	Filed first unemployment claim.
Tuesday	23	
Wednesday	24	
Thursday	25	
Friday	26	
Saturday	27	To Mobile
Sunday	28	Mobile to New Orleans
Monday	29	
Tuesday	30	At library; filed unemployment claim.
Wednesday	31	At library;

AUGUST

Thursday	1	Wrote "August 1" on letter to V. T. Lee
Friday	2	
Saturday	3	
Sunday	4	Letter to V. T. Lee postmarked 6:30 p.m. Aug. 4.
Monday	5	At library; Met Carlos Bringuier in Casa Roca
Tuesday	6	Filed unemployment claim
Wednesday	7	
Thursday	8	At library
Friday	9	Arrested on Canal St. Spent night at police station.
Saturday	10	Interviewed at police station.

AUGUST - Cont.

Sunday	11	
Monday	12	Payed fine in Court; at library.
Tuesday	13	Filed unemployment claim.
Wednesday	14	
Thursday	15	
Friday	16	Leafleting at Trade Mart; Quiroga goes to Magazine St.
Saturday	17	Stuckey visits Oswald at 8 a.m., and recorded him at 5 p.m.
Sunday	18	
Monday	19	Oswald phone Stuckey (or on 20th)
Tuesday	20	Filed unemployment claim
Wednesday	21	Appeared on Conversation 'Carte Blanche' at WDSU.
Thursday	22	At library
Friday	23	
Saturday	24	
Sunday	25	
Monday	26	
Tuesday	27	Filed unemployment claim.
Wednesday	28	
Thursday	29	
Friday	30	
Saturday	31	

SEPTEMBER

Sunday	1	
Monday	2	
Tuesday	3	Filed unemployment claim.
Wednesday	4	
Thursday	5	
Friday	6	
Saturday	7	

SEPTEMBER - Cont.

Sunday	8	
Monday	9	At library
Tuesday	10	Filed unemployment claim.
Wednesday	11	
Thursday	12	
Friday	13	
Saturday	14	
Sunday	15	
Monday	16	
Tuesday	17	At Mexican Consulate; Filed unemployment claim.
Wednesday	18	
Thursday	19	At library
Friday	20	Ruth Paine arrived in N.O. (or on Sep. 21)
Saturday	21	Ruth Paine with Oswalds
Sunday	22	Ruth Paine with Oswalds
Monday	23	Ruth Paine left with Marina.
Tuesday	24	Filed unemployment claim; changed address at Post Office.
Wednesday	25	Cashed check. Left N.O. en route for Mexico.

MEMORANDUM

November 14, 1968

Wicks  
Bipley  
Summer  
Biquill-L.C. file  
Ivov  
also in Thornley file

TO: JIM GARRISON, District Attorney  
FROM: LOUIS IVON, Chief Investigator  
RE: HEIGHTS OF THE OSWALDS

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You wanted to know when OSWALD was how tall where. Here goes. This list is far from complete, but I'll give you what I've gotten together.

TALL  
5'11" →

Vol. XX, p.277: PRISCILLA JOHNSON (notes in Russia in 1959) says OSWALD was 5'11" hair brown, eyes grey, 150 lbs.

SHORT  
5'5" →

Vol. XI, p.89: KERRY THORNLEY describes OSWALD as being about 5'5", 140 lbs., possibly 130. Grey or blue eyes. Hair tending to bald a little on each side. Sloppy habits.

p. 103: "I had no idea he was from Texas...At that time I don't recall him having a Texas accent either."

Vol. XI, p.221: PAMELA MUMFORD (speaking of recognizing OSWALD from the picture on television and how her traveling companion recognized him): "But she said the thinning hair on the top, the thinning, curly, wiry hair." This was the 1963 Mexico trip.

TALL  
5'11" →

Vol. XVI, p.622: OSWALD's application for Albert Schweitzer College (written by him): Under "land of birth," he answers "America." Ordinarily an American would put "U.S.A." His height on this application he gives as 5'11" weight, 160.

Vol. XVI, p.483: Application for Texas driver's license: height 5'9", weight 146 lbs.

Vol. IX, p.238: GEO. DEMOHRENSCHILDT told GEORGE BOUHE, "Don't be scared of him (OSWALD). He is just as small as you are." MR. JENNER then said, "Yes, but GEORGE BOUHE is a small man..."

TALL  
5'10" →

Vol. XVIII, p.388: MARGUERITE OSWALD described her son LEE as 5'10"; 165 lbs.; eyes blue; hair, light brown, wavy. This was a description given in 1960, and she had last seen him when he had got his hardship discharge and come home for a couple of days. (MARGUERITE is a tiny woman and any man of 5'10" or 11" would look large to her) I can't tell from this report of FAIN's where MARGUERITE got the description -- from a document or from her memory.

SHORT  
5'6" →

Vol. XXVI, p.7: Port Case Record Face Sheet made at time of LHO arrival back in New York, June 13, 1962: "Slim, 5'6".

p.8: "Upon boarding ship I tried to locate MR. OSWALD and his family. He was already cleared by Immigration and Naturalization Service, MR. JOHNSON, Immigration Inspector in charge, was interested to know how we came to know of this case. I explained to him regarding H.E.W. contact. He did not elaborate further on the subject but appeared curious."

Confirm w. Dr  
B. Marguerite "Marguerite"  
Attendants

SHORT →

p.9: second column: "Grey suit, light blue tie, about 5½ ft. tall."

Vol. XXIII, p.741: Application for employment, July 13, 1962: height 5'9"

p.743: Selective Service Reg. card: Height: 5'11" hair brown, eyes blue, weight 150. Date of this is Sept. 14, 1959

p.744: Report of transfer or discharge: height 71" This is dated October 12, 1959.

p.745: Application for employment at coldrings in N.O.: Height 5'9" I find it interesting that under "In case of Accident send word to", he gives the MURRET's address, but gives the name "OSWALD" and "parents" as the relationship.

p.747: Application for employment, Oct. 15, 1963: Height 5'9"

p.752: Application for employment, Oct. 4, 1963 (this was after he came back from Mexico and stayed at the Y.M.C.A. on the night of the 3rd and before he appeared out in Irving): Height: 5'9"

p.753: Application for employment in New Orleans: Height 5'9"

p.819: Passport, June 25, 1963: Height 5'11"

TALL 5'11" →

Vol. XIX, p.584: Medical Examination in September 1959 (in service) Height 71" weight 150, hair brown, eyes grey. His build is given as medium (rather than slender). This examination was on his release from active duty. This 5'11" Marine then went and got a passport on which his height still is 5'11", shows up in Russia and has pictures taken with MARINA who is a little girl -- just over five feet tall. His pictures do not show him towering over her as he would if he were the same person who had been in the Marines. PRISCILLA JOHNSON, the newspaper woman who interviewed a "LEE HARVEY OSWALD", reports him as 5'11" with brown hair and grey eyes. It is interesting that the taller OSWALD is the grey-eyed one and the shorter has blue eyes. This is a pretty consistent pattern thru the descriptions. MARGUERITE describes him as blue-eyed and having light brown wavy hair. The OSWALD who entered the United States at New York was 5'6" and couldn't possibly be 5'11" -- even allowing for a couple of inches' mistake.

SHORT IN THIS PICTURE OSWALD AND MARINA ARE PRETTY CLOSE TO THE SAME HEIGHT.

Vol. XIX, p.615: on enlistment physical exam (1956) he is 68" (or 5'8"), weight 131. He probably grew a little bit after entering the service because he was just a young kid when he went in.

TALL 5'11" →

Vol. XVII, p.730: Report of JOHN FAIN says that the following description of OSWALD was obtained through observation and interrogation: "Height 5'11", eyes grey, hair brown." This report is dated June 26, 1962 at Fort Worth

So we have a 5'6" OSWALD coming back to the U.S., going to ROBERT's house at Fort Worth, and growing 5 inches in time to be observed by JOHN FAIN 13 days later! If you really want to know what I think, it is that ROBERT knew this returning defector was not really LEE and this is what his problem was the night of the assassination when he found it necessary to take such a long drive to think things out. He knew things were far more complicated than they appeared on the surface. How much a part he played in the original scheme, I don't know, but he says a couple of interesting things that point in that direction.

Vol. XIX, p.397: Texas Employment Commission, Oct. 1962: 5'9", Weight 150

MARINA  
= 5 feet

Vol. XVIII, p.482: Let me throw this in here as long as I just now came across it and may forget it. This thing is apparently MARINA's own description of herself. You will notice that it says "Height: 150(?)cm.(5 feet)". See if you can read the original on the opposite page. It's awfully pale in y book.

Vol. XVIII, p.437: Here is a peculiar mistake under No. 3. New Orleans, Texas, is given as place of birth. This mistake of Texas as place of birth occurs one other place and that is in the Marine records (Donabedian Exh. #1), Vol. XIX, p.607, at the very bottom of the page.

OSWALD himself wouldn't have made this mistake, but a foreign fellow impersonating him might have.

TALL  
5'11"

Vol. XVIII, p.161: Passport (1959) Height 5'11", Brown hair, grey eyes.

SEE EARLY  
HOOVER MEMO  
PRIOR TO ASSASSINATION  
RE "IMPERSONATION  
OF LEE HARVEY  
OSWALD"

Vol. XVIII, p.143: The last paragraph of this letter contains an interesting statement. Rusk, the writer of the latter says, "It is assumed that there is no doubt that the person who has been in communication with the Embassy is the person who was issued a passport in the name of LEE HARVEY OSWALD." !!!!!

Vol. XXII, p.828: New Orleans Police Department Bureau of Identification, Aug. 14, 1963, on occasion of arrest. Height 5'9". Eyes brown complexion ruddy, weight 136. There is an affidavit by MARTELLO (Vol. XI. p.471) in which he says that on arrest of a person he is simply asked questions about his height and weight, but that on booking of a person he is measured and weighed. I think that it is interesting that such an affidavit was even taken on the subject. Someone besides me noticed all this height business but chose to skip over it.

I know that this is erratically written. If I had gotten it done in any order, Heaven knows when I would have gotten the information to you. I suggest you go thru this taking all the 5'9" 's and their dates and then all the 5'11" 's. You will see that a fellow who went into the Marines at 5'8" came out (supposedly) grown to 5'11" in September 1959. He then applied for a passport on which his height is still 5'11". I find no description of his height while in Russia (I may have missed something) except for the PRISCILLA JOHNSON thing. A 5'6" LEE OSWALD comes back to the United States in 1962, becomes 5'11" when interviewed by JOHN FAIN and then shrinks from then on until his passport of June 1963 when he sprouts the other two inches again.

What this all means is anybody's guess. My guess is that the impersonation started in the Marines. KERRY THORNLEY said the OSWALD he knew was about 5'5", so let's say that he knew the LEE HARVEY OSWALD who went into the Marines as 5'8" (but looked smaller). Bill Boxley (sp?) said that the CIA has successfully put over impersonations so that even mothers are fooled. Please remember, Harold, that MARGUERITE wanted to believe that her son had come back to her. She was crushed when he defected and needed to believe that he had seen the error of his ways and had



returned. Remember, too, that "LEE" stayed with her for a very short time after he came back. My idea is that, since she is a very sharp woman and had already noticed the difference in the texture of his hair, he realized that it was dangerous to stay around her. She might at any time see thru the imposture. He stayed away from her completely for a year. A lesser woman could be fooled, but not our MARGUERITE. She has her eyes open to a lot of things that a wide-eyed little "Mom" might not see. She was dangerous to him and he knew it. MARINA knew it, too.

Hope this gives you a little something to chew on. I'm going to have to stop now and get ready for weekend company. My sister and her husband who live in Chicago are to be here for a couple of days and I haven't done a thing about getting ready for them.

Take care of yourselves. Will try to get to the Kim Philby letters in a few days. I wish you would get the book, "The Spy I Married", by Eleanor Philby so that when I write this stuff to you, you can look it up in the book.

Vol. VIII, p. 111: The last paragraph of this letter contains

Re: HUGH AYNESWORTH

Gosh! I really appreciated your letter. Thanks especially for Liberty and Justice for All.

I think you would be wasting your money to pay my expenses to come to New Orleans. I am sure that I am worth more to you right here in Dallas (if I am worth anything to you anywhere.)

I didn't need to investigate Mr. Kimbrough. I knew who ~~wa~~ he was. OLD Dallas... very prominent people. He owns a construction company. His wife is a sister to Dr. Giles and she is a Hockaday graduate. .. etc. I called the minute I received your letter and talked to Mrs. Kimbrough. I THOUGHT she acted overly reserved with me but she promised she would have him call me. Last night when he hadn't called, I called again. He was nice, BUT... Finally, he said, "Mrs. ~~Kim~~, I should put you straight. I wrote to Mr. Garrison in February, twice. Today is the first reply I've had. And just a few days after I had written to him in February, Mr. Hugh Aynesworth called me and told me all about Mr. Garrison and I am not interested in helping him."

I said, "Mr. Kimbrough, I don't know how well you know Mr. Aynesworth, but he has an uncanny way of showing up when people are about to offer assistance to Jim Garrison and telling them the thing they least want to hear. I don't know, but I have a suspicion that if you are Presbyterian he explained that Mr. Garrison is about to accuse all the Presbyterians in Dallas of plotting the assassination."

He chuckled and said, "Well, you are very close. My sister is married to one of the Reillys who own Reilly Coffee Company in New Orleans and Aynesworth told me that Garrison was about to arrest the Reillys."

I assured him that you did not have the Reillys on your LIST and I would have heard something about it if you had any ideas that they were involved at all. (PARENTHETICALLY, Mr. Garrison, if you already have the Reilly clan in your hoosegow, would you please let me get to Siberia before the world and this man learn about it.) I went and "spent the night with him." My husband dozed comfortably in a chair nearby... This man has rewritten the 26 volumes (I might add - rewritten them right.) He started with the tidal wave in Galveston in 1900 and has divided time into 15 minute segments and has EVERYBODY connected plotted every minute from birth until they become one of Penn's statistics. I'm afraid much of it would be about like trying to decipher Marguerite Oswald, but HE DOES HAVE MUCH THAT IS INTERESTING right at his fingertips...

He is a very patriotic Republican (I didn't get the idea that he is Bircher, etc. at all). He was sitting in the Blue Front Cafe just a block or so away when the President was shot. He had a good camera with him as he was going to take some pictures of a construction site. (He is very young, about 40, to have built half of Dallas, as he has.) When the news came over the air, he jumped up and ran to the Texas School Book Depository and started taking pictures. He has dozens of them, along with the names of many witnesses whose names appear NOWHERE whom he recognized. (I got several names last night.) But, most important--to me anyway--he has the pictures of them arresting the man in the raincoat, plaid coat, hat, etc.) I told him I wanted copies of all these pictures and he said, "Oh, that is Larry Fiorer." I said, "That ISN'T Larry Fiorer." I think that today you could ask who held up Wells Fargo in 1870 and you would get the answer Larry Fiorer. That boy was 22 at the time and this man is 30 or 35. He is the

one who was still being held in the Dallas jail on December 8th... he may still be there, I don't know. But, they didn't drop charges against him of assassinating the President until December 2nd, and then they held him on "city charges." I just begged him for the pictures and promised him I would have them copied and give them back today. He ~~fx~~ refused because he says Mrs. Gowertz??? has the originals and he has been trying to get them back since April and can't. He did promise he would have copies made for me today and I can pick them up. I asked him to have slides and blow-up prints both made for me and I would reimburse him. He promised he would. You may trust this Gowertz bunch, but I don't... I'll bet he never gets the originals back. I'll bet Life Magazine already has them!

Incidentally I have a Xerox copy, of all things, of a picture of James Wetherbee. It's pretty good, though. I'm going to see if an artist and a photographer can improve the quality so that we can get prints made. Don't ask me how I got it! If I had one brain cell working properly, I'd know that I'm going to end up in Sing Sing for safe-cracking before this thing is over!

Now, back to an example of his documentation. I am going to give you one example straight through, so you can see what he has done.

J. M. Valentine (his code number was 104) (he was later fired for sleeping in the graveyard while on duty), and his partner Sgt. Gerry L. Hill (his code number was 550/2) (in October prior to the assassination, he had been transferred to Personnel, apparently that is about like being sent to Siberia) were in Car No. (207)

Sgt. Hill had formerly been Amusements Writer for the Dallas Times Herald (See Vol. 22, p. 920)

Sgt. Hill was the one who found the cartridges on the 6th floor (with the help of Luke Mooney) See Vol. 7, page 46.

Earlene Roberts saw Car 207 in front of her house after Oswald arrived at 1026 No. Beckley. See Vol. 6, page 5x 443, Vol 25, pp. 170, 909, Vol 26, p. 165.

Sgt. Hill was the second squad car to arrive at the Tippit slaying scene. See Vol. 7, page 54, Vol. 24, p. 234.

Sgt. Hill was the one who took Oswald into custody at the Texas Theater. See Vol. 7, p. 57, Vol. 17, p. 442, Vol. 21, p. 397, Vol. 23, pp. 875, 877.

DON'T YOU WISH ALL YOUR "PERSONNEL PEOPLE" WERE SO HANDY TO HAVE AROUND?

*Warning! Handle this Kimbraugh  
carefully — He wants his name kept  
out of it all.*

SHERRIFFS DEPARTMENT  
COUNTY OF DALLAS, TEXAS

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 22nd day of November A.D. 1963  
at Dallas, Texas, in the County of Dallas, State of Texas.  
My Commission Expires on the 22nd day of November, 1963.  
Sheriff, Dallas County, Texas, 1729 Congress, Dallas.

On November 20, 1963, I was driving a recent white Valiant automobile when the driver was proceeding on the overpass in a westerly direction and on a point about 40 or 50 feet east of the overhead sign on the right side of the road, there was a truck parked on the right hand side of the road. The truck looked like it had 1 or 2 people on it at the time. The hood of the truck was open. On the drivers side of the truck, there were printed letters in black, oval shaped, that read "Ford Trucking". This was a pickup truck and along the side of the truck were what appeared to be coal boxes. The truck was a dark Ford with a Texas license. I remember seeing the word "Ford" on the back of the truck.

There was a person sitting under the wheel of the car and slouched over the wheel. I did not see him too clearly. Another one was at the back of the truck and reached over the tailgate and took out from the truck what appeared to be a gun case. This case was about 8" wide or 12" high and tapered down to a width of about 4" or 5". It was brown in color. The man at the end of the truck then proceeded to walk away from the truck and towards the grass on the side of the road. The small end of the case caught in the grass or sidewalk and fell down to the ground. He then proceeded to walk across the grass and up the grassy hill which forms part of the overpass. This is the last I saw of this man.

What I had delayed because the truck which I described above was blocking my way and I had to wait until the lane to the left cleared so I could pass the truck.

After that, after that I was on this point and observed the above incident and there was a policeman standing talking near a motorcycle on the bridge just west of me.

The man who appeared to be the man case out of the truck was a white man, who appeared to be in his late 20's or early 30's and he was wearing a dark jacket.

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wearing a grey jacket, brown pants and plain shoes. I can't say I can remember. I remember he had on one kind of a hat that looked like a wool stocking but with a tassel in the middle. I believe that I can identify this man if I see him again. I believe that I can identify this man if I see him again.

The man who remained in the truck had light brown hair and I believe I could identify him also if I were to see him again.  
*He is a man who is a*

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Date 11/23/68

JULIA ANN MEROSE, residence 5233 Belmont, Apartment 205, Dallas, Texas, no telephone, who is employed at Automat Distributors, 1720 Canton Street in Dallas, advised she was born February 10, 1940, at Chattanooga, Tennessee.

She advised that at about 10:50 AM, November 22, 1963, she was driving a rented white Valiant automobile west on Elm Street toward the Triple Underpass below Houston Street and at a point about 45 or 50 feet east of the overhead signs over the right entrance road to the underpass, there was a truck parked on the right-hand side of the road, which truck blocked her progress for a few seconds until the lane left of her cleared and she was able to pass around the truck. This truck appeared to have the two right wheels up on the curb. The hood of the truck was open. On the driver's door the words "Air Conditioning" were printed in black letters and the words formed a half-moon shape. The truck was a green Ford pickup, with Texas license.

She advised there was a man sitting under the wheel of the car, slouched over the wheel. This man was wearing a green jacket and was described as a white male, who appeared to be about 40 to 45 years of age, and to be of heavy build.

Another man was at the back of the truck on the street and was reaching over the tailgate when she drove up. This man took out from the truck what appeared to be a gun case. This case was about 3 1/2 feet to 4 feet long and about 3 inches wide at the widest point and about 3, 4, or 5 inches wide at the narrowest point. This case was brown in color and had a handle. The man took this out of the truck and proceeded to walk away and as he did the small end of the case caught in the grass or sidewalk and he reached down to free it. The man then proceeded to walk across the street and up the grassy hill toward the overpass. She said that is the last she saw of this person.

She noticed at the time there were three policemen standing there talking near a motorcycle on the bridge just west of her.

She advised that the man who took the gun case from the truck was a white male in his late 20's or early 30's, with

Nov 23, 1968 Jones, William J. Victim's Report of Jack Ruby

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By Special Agent [Signature] Date 11/23/68

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She then was shown a photograph of RUBY, and she advised the person in the truck had a rather large round face similar to RUBY's, but she could not identify him as the person.

She then was shown a photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD, and she stated that OSWALD was of the same general build, size and age as the person who took a long package from this truck, but she also could not identify him as being the one who took the package from the truck.

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Four pictures were selected by me as the driver of the truck. One of them was Jack Ruby. I remember seeing his name on the back of the picture when they turned it over. I again recognized him as Jack Ruby when I saw him in the Oswald and David for my family, who were watching TV on my TV. That was the man I saw in the truck. When they showed me the picture I recognized him as the man who was in the truck.

On 11/27/63 at Dallas, Texas File # 44-38861-100  
 by Special Agent HENRY J. CLAYTON and LOUIS R. YOUNG Date dictated 11/28/63

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on 11/27/63 at Dallas, Texas, the day after the assassination of the President, and the day before Ruby shot Oswald.  
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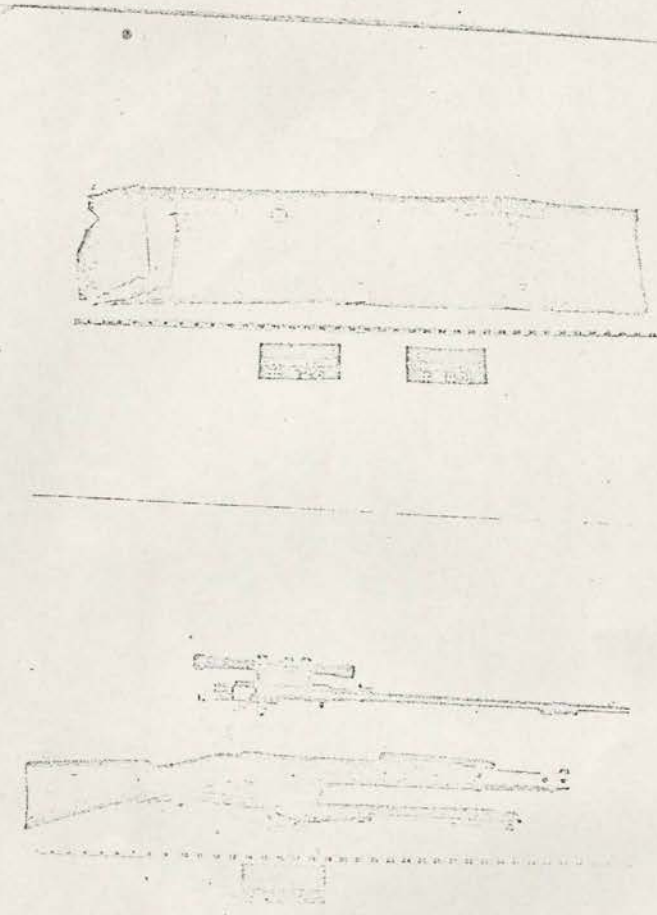
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JULIA ANN MERCER, residence 5200 Belmont, Dallas, appeared at the FBI Office, Dallas, and she was shown a group of photographs which included that of LEE HARVEY OSWALD which was taken at New Orleans, Louisiana, August 9, 1963, New Orleans Police Department No. 112723. After examining the photographs Miss MERCER advised that it did not appear that any of those persons had been the person she had seen take what appeared to be a rifle case from the pickup truck at approximately 10:50 a.m. on November 22, 1963, on Elm Street near the Texas School Book Depository building. She was then shown the photograph of OSWALD separately and said that this did not look like the person who had taken the rifle from the truck.

on 11/25/63 at Dallas, Texas File # DL 89-43  
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C2768 Mannlicher-Carcano rifle and paper bag found on the sixth floor of the Texas School Book Depository.  
 Commission Exhibit No. 1304

gripped the bag in his right hand as he hugged it in his hand. It was "bottom" than toward the top.<sup>148</sup> Frazier saw Oswald open the right rear door of the car and saw Oswald open the package in the back of the car. The package was approximately 28 inches long. She thought that its color was similar to the color of the paper bag found on the sixth floor of the School Book Depository.

Frazier met Oswald at the kitchen of the car.<sup>149</sup> After entering the car, Frazier noticed a brown paper package and noticed a brown paper package. "What's the package, Lee?" Frazier told the Commission "I was over there that Thursday afternoon after some curtain rods, so I didn't tell me that."<sup>150</sup> Frazier estimated "give and take a few inches," and they sat in the car, Frazier asked Oswald replied that he was going to testify that Oswald carried no rifle with me, I say he always brought November 22 he didn't bring his rifle.

Frazier parked the car in the north of the Depository Building up the brown paper bag, and put Frazier. Frazier walked behind the tracks he watched the switch in one end of the package was up part was held with his right hand and parallel to his body. When the Depository Building, he was the first time that Oswald went to the parking lot to the building the building, he did not see Oswald, believed that he saw Oswald remember that Oswald had a door.<sup>151</sup> No other employee saw that morning.<sup>152</sup>

In deciding whether Oswald was carrying the bag which Frazier and Mrs. R. considered the testimony of the length of the bag. Frazier testified which Oswald was carrying whereas the wooden stock of the rifle measured 34.8 inches.<sup>153</sup> The package was 28 inches long.<sup>154</sup> (See Commission Exhibit No. 1304) When Frazier appeared to demonstrate how Oswald carried the package, I said, I remember that I did

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On December 8, 1963, EDWIN HULLBIX, 107 South Edgefield, an employee for Marco Air Conditioning, 1326 Merrill, telephonically advised SA C. E. UNDERHILL that about 1:30 p.m. he observed a 1957 or 1959 green Ford pickup, Texas License 3J947, with "Air Conditioning" written on the passenger side parked in front of the Guthrie Club, Corinth and Industrial.

On the same date, SA's ROBERT E. BASHAM and VERNON MITCHEM attempted to locate this pickup in the vicinity of Corinth and Industrial with negative results.

The following investigation was conducted by SA's JAMES J. WARD and ROBERT E. BASHAM on December 9, 1963:

LORNE CROWEN, Dallas County Records, advised 1953 Texas License 3J947 was transferred from JAMES R. NIX to FRED LEBEN, 1304 Arbor Vitae, Dallas, Texas, on October 16, 1963. She said this license is for a 1953 pickup, Vehicle Identification No. F1003027125.

Mrs. MILDRED LEBEN and FRED W. LEBEN, 1304 Arbor Vitae, Dallas, advised that he purchased a light green pickup, 1953 Ford, from a wholesaler who had repossessed the pickup from JAMES NIX when NIX went into debt. He said that the pickup has black lettering on the sides but runs straight across, and the name has been blacked out with black paint between "Air Conditioning" and "Dallas, Texas". It is noted that Mr. LEBEN is a white male, 59 years of age, 5'11", 160 pounds, dark hair graying at the temples and base. He added that he has an employee, white male, 30 to 35 years of age, 5'7", dark hair, working for him, but they were working at BEN MITCHEM's place near Love Field on the morning of November 22, 1963, and that traveling to that area they did not use Houston Street or the Triple Underpass. He said he did not know of the assassination until completing the work at MITCHEM's place when he turned on the truck radio.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA's HENRY J. OLIVER and LOUIS M. KELLEY on December 9, 1963:

JOE MURPHY, Patrolman, Traffic Division, Police Department, Dallas, Texas, advised that on November 22, 1963, he was stationed on the Triple Underpass on Elm Street to assist in handling traffic. At approximately 10:30 - 10:40 AM, a pickup truck stalled on Elm Street between Houston Street and the underpass. He was unable to recall the name of the company to whom this truck belonged but stated it is the property of the company working on the First National Bank Building at Elm and Akard in Dallas.

There were three construction men in this truck, and he took one to the bank building to obtain another truck in order to assist in moving the stalled one. The other two men remained with the pickup truck along with two other officers. Shortly prior to the arrival of the motorcade, the man he had taken to the bank building returned with a second truck, and all three of the men left with the two trucks, one pushing the other.

MURPHY noted that the men did not leave the truck except for the one he took to the bank building, and all three left together sometime prior to the arrival of the President's motorcade. He described the stalled truck as being a green pickup and noted the truck had the hood raised during the time it was stalled. This truck had side tool bins on it, and they had a considerable amount of construction equipment in the back.

MURPHY further stated it was probable that one of these men had taken something from the rear of this truck in an effort to start it. He stated these persons were under observation all during the period they were stalled on Elm Street because the officers wanted the truck moved prior to the arrival of the motorcade, and it would have been impossible for any of them to have had anything to do with the assassination of President KENNEDY.

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Other Individuals and Organizations  
Involved or Interviewed

Copy to:

Report of: SA JOHN P. MC HUGH

Office: SAN FRANCISCO

Date: 6-17-64

Field Office File #: 89-58

Bureau File #: 105-82555

Title: LEE HARVEY OSWALD

Character: INTERNAL SECURITY - R - CUBA

## Synopsis:

MARTIN SAMUEL ABELOW, an employee of Lockheed Aircraft, Sunnyvale, California, advised that to the best of his recollection and knowledge, he had never met LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

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DETAILS:

On May 28, 1964, MARTIN SAMUEL ABELOW, who is employed by Lockheed Aircraft, Sunnyvale, California, and who resides 2727 Midtown Court, Palo Alto, California, furnished the information set forth below to Special Agents DOUGLAS G. ALLEN and JOHN P. MC HUGH.

ABELOW advised that approximately one year ago he was working in Houston, Texas, and took a vacation trip to New Orleans, Louisiana. While in New Orleans he visited the United States aircraft carrier which was docked there at the time, and, while waiting to board this carrier, he observed a young man distributing leaflets to the waiting crowd, which leaflets were of the Fair Play for Cuba Committee. ABELOW stated he has no idea who this young man was and added he had never met LEE HARVEY OSWALD, to the best of his recollection and knowledge.

He noted he did travel to Mexico City around the first of July, 1963, for a vacation trip and stated he is unable to recall meeting anyone in Mexico City who would remotely fit the description of LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

A characterization of the Fair Play for Cuba Committee is appended hereto.

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Dallas, Texas  
July 6, 1962

Title           LEE HARVEY OSWALD

Character       INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA

Reference       Report of SA JOHN W. FAIK, Dallas, Texas,  
7/6/62, captioned as above.

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LEE HARVEY OSWALD currently resides at 7315 Pavenport, Fort Worth, Texas, with his wife, MARINA and daughter JUNE LEE OSWALD. OSWALD is unemployed but is seeking work at Fort Worth.

OSWALD and his family arrived in Fort Worth on June 14, 1962. He stated they left Holland June 4, 1962, by the SS Maasdam, and arrived in New York City June 13, 1962, and flew to Love Field, Dallas, Texas, where they arrived on June 14, 1962.

OSWALD stated that he borrowed approximately \$435.00 from the American Embassy with which to make the trip to the United States. OSWALD declined to answer the question as to why he made the trip to Russia in the first place. In a show of temper he stated he did not care to "relive the past."

During most of the interview, OSWALD exhibited an impatient and arrogant attitude. OSWALD finally stated that Soviet officials had asked him upon his arrival why he had come to Russia. OSWALD stated that he told them, "I came because I wanted to." OSWALD added that he went to Russia to "see the country."

OSWALD advised that newspaper reports which have appeared in the public press from time to time are highly exaggerated and untrue. He stated that the newspaper reports had pictured him as out of sympathy with the United States and had made him look attractive to the Russians. OSWALD stated that by reason of such newspaper reports he had received better treatment by the Soviets than he otherwise would have received.

OSWALD stated that upon his arrival in Russia in October, 1959, he was sent immediately to Minsk, Russia, where he was given a job as a metal worker in a television factory. He stated that he spent his time reading blueprints and translating blueprint instructions into the finished product. He advised that he earned eighty rubles per month which was the equivalent of about \$72.00 per month in American money. He advised that he was permitted to reside at Minsk as a "resident alien."

OSWALD stated that he was able to speak the Russian language upon his arrival. He explained that while he was in

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by SAC W. J. CARROLL and JOHN W. BAY /JCB Date dictated 7/2/62

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Hotel and apprised him of this individual's remarks and asked him to report it to the FBI. The manager volunteered that he was acquainted with this individual and implied that he was a frequent visitor at the hotel and possibly lived in the Mansfield, Ohio, area. He assured them that he would report the matter.

After departing from Mansfield, later that day, Mrs. FERGUSON and her companions discussed the matter and after agreeing with one another that they were very concerned, they stopped while enroute to Transfer, Pa., at approximately 7:30 P.M., and called the manager of the hotel long distance to determine if he had reported the matter. They talked to him briefly, at which time he stated that he didn't feel as though it was a serious situation and did not intend to report this to the FBI. He further implied that he didn't want the hotel to be involved in this situation.

Mrs. FERGUSON described this individual, who made the above remarks, as a white male; approximately 50 years of age; 5'10" tall; 190 - 200 pounds; blue eyes; bald head with hair around the sides and rear of his head; full, fat face; ugly; backs of both hands spotted with noticeable sores and scars; appeared educated; wore dark suit, white shirt, tie, dark coat; talked with snappy, clipped tones and boasted that he was reared in and knew the area around Mansfield, Ohio, and probably was not a guest at the hotel at the time. She also stated that it was her impression that this individual was not under the influence of liquor at the time.

Mrs. FERGUSON said that she had no additional information of value to offer, but thought it was her duty to report this immediately to the FBI.



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make available to them information about his Marine Corps speciality when he became a Soviet citizen.

On June 5, 1962, a review of the files of the Passport Office of the U. S. Department of State (USDS), revealed that by a personal letter dated January 29, 1961, addressed to the Secretary of the Navy, subject advised he was preparing to return to the United States of America and wished to have rectified the "gross injustice" done to him by the U. S. Marine Corps (USMC) in giving to subject a "belated dishonorable discharge." Subject also stated in his letter he had received an honorable discharge after three years service on September 11, 1959. In his letter, subject asserted he was still a citizen and alleged he had gone to the Soviet Union to reside only for a "short time."

The files of the Passport Office further revealed that subject had been released under honorable conditions to inactive duty in the U. S. Marine Corps Reserve on September 11, 1959, with obligated reserve service until December 8, 1962. On August 17, 1960, subject was given an undesirable discharge from the U. S. Marine Corps Reserve by reason of unfitness.

This review of the files of the Passport Office also revealed a USDS memorandum dated May 4, 1962, stating that on the basis of evidence, subject had not expatriated himself under the pertinent laws of the United States.

A review of the files of the Passport Office of the USDS, Washington, D. C., on August 22, 1961, concerning subject revealed the following information:

By letter dated May 1961 to the American Embassy, Moscow, USSR, subject advised he had no intention of returning to the United States unless he were given a guarantee that he would not be prosecuted for any act pertaining "to this case." Subject also indicated he had married a Russian girl born in Leningrad, Russia, and wanted to bring her to the United States with him.

This review of the files of the Passport Office also revealed that on July 8, 1961, subject appeared at the American Embassy in Moscow at which time he stated he was employed in the Dolo Russian Radio and Television Factory, Minsk, Russia, as a metal worker, in the research shop. Subject stated he took no oath of allegiance of any kind to the Soviet Union nor was he required to sign any paper in connection with his employment. He gave his earnings as 90 rubles a month. Subject also stated he was married on April 30, 1961, to MARIAN NIKOLAEVNA PUSAKOVA, a dental technician. Subject stated his intention to apply for an exit visa immediately upon his return to Minsk. He said he

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desired to bring his wife with him to the United States.

This review of the files of the Passport Office also revealed that on July 10, 1961, subject executed an "Application for Renewal of Passport," at the American Embassy in Moscow. His residence at that time was USSR, Ulitsa Kalinina 4, Apartment 24, Minsk. This renewal application indicated that subject was issued U. S. Passport No. 1733242 on September 10, 1959, at Washington, D. C. Subject's renewal application was referred to the State Department for consideration and decision.

This review of the files of the Passport Office also reflected that by memorandum dated August 18, 1961, the State Department had authorized the American Embassy in Moscow to renew subject's passport for direct travel to the United States.

A review of the files of the Passport Office on the USDS, Washington, D. C., on January 29, 1962, revealed the following information:

In a letter of July 15, 1961, to the American Embassy in Moscow, subject advised he was continuing his efforts to obtain an exit visa for his wife and for himself.

By letter dated "August 1961," to the American Embassy in Moscow, subject furnished a copy of his marriage certificate and a copy of his wife's birth certificate.

By letter dated August 8, 1961, to the American Embassy in Moscow, subject inquired if it would be permissible for him to travel through Poland by train after leaving Minsk. Subject pointed out he could not afford to fly from Moscow to New York City. He added he believed he could catch a military flight to the United States from Berlin, Germany.

By letter dated October 4, 1961, to the American Embassy in Moscow, subject asked the Embassy to assist him in obtaining exit visas from the Soviet authorities.

U. S. Department of State Operation's memorandum dated January 16, 1962, at the American Embassy in Moscow, pointed out that a letter dated January 5, 1962, was received from subject stating he expected to receive an exit visa within 45 days. This memorandum also pointed out that the American Embassy in Moscow had been formally notified by the Soviet Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the issuance of a foreign passport and an exit visa to subject's wife.

On September 18, 1961, ROBERT LEE OSWALD, the subject's brother at 7313 Davenport Street, Fort Worth, who is a sales coordinator, Marketing Department of Acme Brick Company, Fort Worth, stated he had received a letter dated September 10, 1961, from subject who mentioned that he was working in an "electrical shop" at Minsk, Russia. Mr. OSWALD advised that subject had stated in this letter he owned a shot gun and occasionally went hunting. Mr. OSWALD also advised that subject had married a Russian girl, an orphan, first name MARINA, age 18, or 19. Subject had told his brother that she was a nurse. This girl prior to her marriage to subject resided with an uncle and aunt. Mr. OSWALD stated that from description of subject's wife furnished by subject she seems to be a very intelligent and attractive girl. According to Mr. OSWALD, subject's wife desired to come to the United States with subject. Mr. OSWALD also stated that subject's letter was not too optimistic as to his chances of getting to return to the United States at an early date. Mr. OSWALD indicated his belief that the Russians were "holding up" subject's return to the United States. Mr. OSWALD also advised that subject has been "critical of the Russians" in his letters and he, Mr. OSWALD, was surprised that the Russians would allow subject to make such criticisms.

On October 13, 1961, Mrs. MARGUERITE C. OSWALD, 1808 Engle Street, Apartment No. 3, Vernon, Texas, advised that about two months previously she had received from her son, the subject, a letter in which he advised that he and his wife had been to Moscow to contact the American Embassy in order to obtain renewal of his passport and obtain permission to return to the United States. In this letter subject indicated that the prospects were good for him to be allowed to return to the United States but he did not know whether his wife would be able to return with him. Subject indicated he would not return unless she were allowed to accompany him. Mrs. OSWALD advised she had not received a letter from subject for a period of about six weeks and had begun to think he might be on his way home even though he had not told her for sure he was going to return home or had he furnished the date on which he might arrive. Mrs. OSWALD also stated she had received another letter about a week before October 13, 1961, from her son, the subject, who made no reference whatever to his trip to Moscow or to his returning home. In this letter subject stated he was "Okey". Mrs. OSWALD stated she had no information as to whether or not subject and his wife were going to be allowed to return to the United States. She had no idea when they might be permitted to leave the Soviet Union.

By letter dated October 19, 1961, L. A. MACK, Officer in Charge, Immigration and Naturalization Service (I&NS), 1100 Main Street, Dallas, Texas, advised that subject, of Apartment 24,

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A review conducted on June 5, 1962, of the files of the Special Consular Services, USDS, revealed that by a telegram dated March 7, 1962, the USDS had authorized the American Embassy in Moscow to furnish a repatriation loan to subject to cover the cost of his passage to New York only.

On May 4, 1962, R. McC. TOMPKINS, Brigadier General, U. S. Marine Corps, advised that subject wrote the following letter dated March 22, 1962:

"LEE H. OSWALD  
Kalinina St. 4-27  
Minsk U.S.S.R.  
March 22, 1962

"R. McC. TOMPKINS  
Brigadier Gen., U.S.M.C.  
Ass. Direct. of Personnel

"Dear Sirs:

"In reply to your notification of the granting of an Undesirable discharge and your conveying of the process at which it was arrived.

"I would like to point out in direct opposition to your information that I have never taken steps to renounce my U. S. citizenship. Also that the United States State Department has no charges or complaints against me what/so ever.

"I refer you to the United States Embassy, Moscow, or the U. S. department of State\_ Washington\_ D. C., for the verification of This fact.

"Also, I was aware of the finding of the board of officers of 8 August 1960. I was notified by my mother, in December 1962.

"My request to the Secretary of the Navy, his referral to you and your letter to me, did not say anything about a Review, which is what I was trying to arrange.

"You mention 'reliable information' as the basis for the Undesirable discharge. I have no doubt it was newspapers speculation which forward your 'reliable information'.

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"Under U. S. law governing the use of passports and conduct abroad I have a perfect right to reside in my country I wish too.

"I have not violated; Section 1544, Title 18, U. S. code, therefore you have no legal or even moral right, to reverse my honourable discharge from the U.S.M.C. of Sept. 11, 1960, into a undischargeable discharge.

"You may consider this letter a request by me for a full review of my case in the light of these facts, since by the time you receive this letter I shall have returned to the U.S.A. with my Family, and shall be prepared to appear in person at a reasonable time and place in my area, before a reviewing board of officers.

"If you choose to convene a review board you my contact me through the below address in the United States after May 15th 1962.

"LEE H. OSWALD  
7313 Davenport St.  
Fort Worth, Texas.

"Sincerely,  
"/s/ LEE H. OSWALD"

A review on May 5, 1962, of the files of the Security Office, USDS, revealed that the Office of Security had advised the Director of Naval Intelligence, Department of the Navy, Washington, D. C., that subject had not ex-patriated himself under the pertinent laws of the United States. ✓

On May 18, 1962, Mrs. ROBERT L. OSWALD, subject's sister-in-law, 7313 Davenport, Fort Worth, advised she had received a postal card from subject on about May 15, 1962, which had been dated April 10, 1962. On this card, subject stated he had nothing to report concerning his move to the United States; that they were waiting for the Embassy to finish its paper work which had been "very slow". Mrs. OSWALD stated she did not know

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when subject and his family would arrive in Fort Worth. She stated that subject had first set the date for his arrival as May, 1962, but that he had changed it to June, 1962. Mrs. OSWALD advised that her husband had written to subject and invited him to come to Fort Worth. Subject replied to this invitation that he did not know where they would be going. Mrs. OSWALD stated that she got the impression from subject's letters and cards that subject desired to return permanently to the United States. Mrs. OSWALD promised to advise the local FBI office immediately upon subject's arrival at Fort Worth.

On June 4, 1962, Mrs. FRANCES VAN COTT, Office of Special Consular Services, USCS, advised that by a telegram dated May 31, 1962, the U. S. Embassy in Moscow had informed the Department of State that subject, his wife and child planned to depart Moscow, Russia, on June 1, 1962, for Rotterdam, Holland, where they would board "Mianzan" on June 4, 1962. The SS "Mianzan" was scheduled to arrive in New York, New York, June 6, 1962. The Department of State had notified subject's mother by letter relative to this schedule.

In the "Fort Worth Star Telegram," evening edition, a daily newspaper, Fort Worth, Texas, on June 3, 1962, there appeared a photograph of subject and a headline, "Ex-Marine Reported on Way Back from Russia." This article stated that subject, a former U. S. Marine, who denounced his American citizenship to become a Russian, was reported June 3, 1962, to be en route home. This article went on to state that subject had turned in his American passport October 31, 1960, at the Embassy in Moscow, saying he would "never return to the United States for any reason." This article further quoted subject as having later told American newspaper men that leaving the United States "was like getting out of prison." This article also contained the following information: It quoted subject's sister-in-law, Mrs. R. L. OSWALD, 7313 Davenport, as saying her husband had received frequent letters from his brother indicating he was anxious to return to this country. She said she and members of the family had not learned that subject was en route home. This article stated that subject's mother, Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD, could not be reached for comment.

This article also stated that subject's appearance at the American Embassy in Moscow came as a shock to his mother and brother; that he had left Fort Worth following his discharge from the Marines, telling his family he was going to New Orleans in search of a job.

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In the "Fort Worth Press," a daily newspaper, Fort Worth, Texas, issue of June 8, 1962, carried a front-page story to the effect that subject, a former Fort Worth Marine, who once vowed he would "never return to the United States for any reason," was on his way home from Russia.

This article stated further that United Press International had reported on June 8, 1962, that subject, along with his Russian wife and child had left the Soviet Union within the past ten days and was en route to the United States.

This article further stated that subject's brother, R. L. OSWALD, 7313 Davenport, Fort Worth, told the press that he and his mother, Mrs. MARGUERITE OSWALD, have been hearing from subject regularly. R. L. OSWALD was quoted as saying that subject had wanted to come back for sometime but that he had not heard that subject had left Russia.

This article further stated that subject had arrived in Moscow in November, 1959, two months after his release from active duty in the Marine Corps; that subject had been refused Soviet citizenship at the time but that he was allowed to live in Russia as a "resident alien." Subject was reported to have been a student while in the Soviet Union, possibly at Minsk.

This article went on to say that subject was never granted Soviet citizenship and that he is believed to have retained his American citizenship. This article stated that several days after subject arrived in Moscow in 1959, his mother called him long distance and at that time subject refused to talk to her. She did not hear from him again until a letter came January 6, 1960. According to this article, when subject first went to Russia he told newsmen he was a worker and wanted to live in a workers country.

This article further quoted that subject said "I would not want to live in the United States and be either a worker exploited by capitalists or a capitalist exploiting workers or become unemployed." This article also quoted subject as having said "I could not be happy living under capitalism."

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This article went on to quote subject as saying/his own personal experiences in civil and military life had shown him the correctness of communist theories.

This article also quoted subject as having said he began studying communism when his family was living in New Orleans, Louisiana; that he had discovered a book in the library titled "Das Kapital," by KARL MARX. This article also quoted subject as having stated that he had joined the Marine corps at age 17 because

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he felt he could not get a job and because he wanted to relieve the financial burden of the family. This article also quoted subject as having said that when he left America it was like "getting out of prison." This article concluded by saying that when subject had visited his family shortly after his release from the Marine Corps he had talked optimistically about the future and that some of his plans had included going to college, writing a book or joining CASTRO's Cuban Army.

On June 22, 1962, ALISTAR McDONALD, Assistant Manager, Cabin-Tourist Department, Holland-America Line, 23 Broadway, New York, New York, advised that the records of Holland-America Line reflect that subject, his wife and child arrived in the United States on June 13, 1962, aboard the SS Manzanar at Hoboken, New Jersey. Subject, his wife and child traveled tourist class and were destined to 7313 Havenport, Fort Worth, Texas.

On June 23, 1962, the records of Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), 23 West Broadway, New York, New York, revealed that subject, his wife and child, INS file No. AIR580723, arrived in the United States aboard the SS Manzanar on June 13, 1962. This file reflected that subject had U. S. Passport No. 1733242, that his daughter, JUNE, born February 15, 1932, at Minsk, USSR, had the same passport and that subject's wife, MARINA NIKOLAEVNA OSWALD, had Russian Passport BY 37790. Subject was admitted as a U. S. citizen with a renewed U. S. Passport. MARINA NIKOLAEVNA OSWALD was admitted with an H-1 Immigrant Visa as the spouse of a U. S. citizen. This H-1 Immigrant Visa was issued at Moscow on May 24, 1962.

On June 22, 1962, FREDERICK J. WIEBERGHEIM, Inspector, INS, advised he had interviewed subject upon the latter's arrival in the United States and that subject had said that he was employed as a mechanic in Russia; that he had threatened to renounce his U. S. citizenship but never carried through with the threat, never voted in Russia and held no position in the Russian Government.

On June 26, 1962, Mrs. ROBERT L. OSWALD, sister-in-law to subject, 7313 Havenport, Fort Worth, stated the subject, his wife and child had arrived in Fort Worth on June 13, 1962, and that they were currently residing at 7313 Havenport, Fort Worth. Mrs. OSWALD stated she had not notified the local FBI office of subject's arrival in Fort Worth for the reason that the family had been harassed by newspaper reporters and that for that reason subject did not desire to leave his residence.



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the U. S. Marine Corps in California he had studied and mastered the Russian language by self instruction.

OSWALD denied that he has ever been a member of the Communist Party in the United States. He denied that he went to Russia because of his lack of sympathy for the institutions of the United States or because of an admiration for the Russian system. He admitted that he had read books by KARL MARX while a resident of New Orleans, Louisiana, but he stated that he was merely interested in the economic theories.

OSWALD declined to explain what he meant when he wrote his mother while on route to Russia that his "values" and those of his mother and brother were different.

OSWALD stated he does not know where his birth certificate is and he denied that he took same to Russia with him.

OSWALD denied that he had renounced his United States citizenship and stated that he did not seek Soviet citizenship while in Russia. OSWALD stated that he was never approached by the Soviet officials in an attempt to pull information from him concerning his experiences while a member of the U. S. Marine Corps. OSWALD also stated that he was not recruited at any time while in Russia by the Soviet Intelligence. He stated that he made no deal with the Soviets in order to obtain permission to return to the United States. He stated that the Soviets made it very difficult for him to obtain permission for his wife to leave Russia, and that the process of obtaining permission for her to leave was a long, difficult course requiring much paper work. He stated that no attempt was made by the Soviets at any time to "brainwash" him. OSWALD stated that he never at any time gave the Soviets any information which would be used in a detrimental way against the United States. He stated that the Soviets never sought any such information from him. OSWALD denied that he at any time while in Russia had offered to reveal to the Soviets any information he had acquired as a radar operator in the U. S. Marines.

OSWALD stated that his wife's passport, a Russian passport, No. KY37790, requires that she give notice to the Soviet Embassy in the United States as to her address while in the United States. OSWALD stated that the passport also requires her to make reports as to her whereabouts periodically. OSWALD stated that he plans to contact the Soviet Embassy in Washington, D. C., within a few days for the purpose of notifying the Soviet Embassy of his wife's current address.

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OSWALD stated that in the event he is contacted by Soviet Intelligence under suspicious circumstances or otherwise, he will promptly communicate with the FBI. He stated that he holds no brief for the Russians or the Russian system.

OSWALD stated that his wife, MARINA, speaks no English whatsoever. By occupation she is a pharmacist. He advised that they were married April 30, 1961, at Minsk, Russia. He advised that she resided with an uncle and an aunt at Minsk, Russia. He advised that she has a half-brother and two half-sisters in Leningrad, Russia; however, OSWALD declined to furnish the names of any of his wife's relatives, stating that he feared that some harm might come to them in the event he revealed their names.

OSWALD advised that his daughter, JUNE LEE OSWALD, was born February 15, 1962, at Minsk, Russia.

OSWALD furnished the following description of his wife:

Name	MARINA NICHILYENA OSWALD - NRF5
Race	White
Sex	Female
Age	20
Birth Data	July 17, 1941, at Arkangles (city near the White Sea)
Height	5' 5"
Weight	105 lbs.
Eyes	Blue
Hair	Brown
Children	JUNE LEE OSWALD, age four months

The following description of OSWALD was obtained through observation and interrogation:

Name	LEE HARVEY OSWALD
Race	White
Sex	Male
Age	22
Birth Data	October 18, 1939, at New Orleans, Louisiana
Height	5' 11"
Weight	150 lbs.

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OSCAR W. DESLATTE, Assistant Manager, Truck Sales, Bolton Ford Company, 1483 North Claiborne Avenue, advised that he recalled two men coming to Bolton Ford on January 20, 1961. He remembered the date and following information as he had in his possession a bid for purchase form made out to Friends of Democratic Cuba, 402 St. Charles Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana, (Telephone Number JA 5-0763).

He said a Mr. JOSEPH MOORE, whose description he cannot remember, nor can he furnish any other identifying data regarding him, advised him that he and his friend, were representing the above organization and wished to purchase ten Ford Econoline Trucks. DESLATTE said MOORE listed the equipment he desired on the trucks, but he did not state whether they were for use here in the United States or were to be sent to Cuba. DESLATTE quoted him the price and advised that he would make a \$75 profit on each truck. MOORE said that he thought they should get the trucks for no profit for his organization. MOORE then told him that he should change the name on the bid form from MOORE to OSWALD, no first name given. The individual with MOORE then said that was his name and it should go on the form as he was the man with the money and would pay for the trucks, if they were purchased. \*

DESLATTE was exhibited a photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD and he said he cannot recall ever having seen him before nor could he say this was the individual who had come in with MOORE. DESLATTE said he could neither describe nor identify either of the men who came in as it was almost three years ago that they were there and only spent a short time with him. He said he remembered this incident, not by the name OSWALD, but because of the name of the organization represented.

DESLATTE said that he, himself, filled out the above mentioned bid form completely and neither individual either handled it or signed it. He said that he made the original of this form available to them and retained a carbon copy of this form for his use, which he said he made available to the interviewing Agents.

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by SA's WILLIAM F. MC DONALD & W. J. DANIELSON, JR. / lrs Date dictated 11/25/63

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M E M O R A N D U M

April 20, 1967

TO: JIM GARRISON, DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
FROM: LOUIS IVON, CHIEF INVESTIGATOR  
RE: CELSO HERENANDEZ, W/M AGE 51 - INTERVIEW WITH  
820 St. Roch Avenue  
Telephone 944-2793

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NOTE: CELSO HERNANDEZ was brought to this office by CARLOS BRINGUIER who was to act as interpreter. Prior to this interview, it was agreed that Assistant District Attorney William Martin would listen to this interview to ascertain whether or not BRINGUIER was actually translating accurately, inasmuch as Mr. Martin understands Spanish and speaks it fluently.

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On Thursday, April 20, 1967, an interview with CELSO HERNANDEZ began at 11:40 A.M. and ended at 12:58 P.M. Mr. HERNANDEZ was interviewed by Louis Ivon, Chief Investigator, and sitting in on the interview were Assistant District Attorney William Martin, Detective Kent Simms and CARLOS BRINGUIER.

Mr. HERNANDEZ stated he arrived in New Orleans on January 8, 1963 from Miami, Florida. The reason he remembers the date so clearly was because it was his birthday. He came here with his wife (MARIA VALERO) and their three children.

They first lived in the Florida Avenue Project on Law Street. He doesn't remember the exact address but, if necessary, he will get it for us. He lived there approximately 1 year and moved to 519 Adele Street in the St. Thomas Project where he lived for 2 years and some months. He then moved to his present address, 820 St. Roch Avenue where he has been living for the last 2 years.

Mr. HERNANDEZ stated that his first job in the City was with the Goodwill Industries located on Julia Street. He was employed there for some months, but it was less than 1 year. At the Goodwill Industries he worked in the repair shop repairing gas ranges.

He then went to work for a Mr. Seeber on Lakeshore Drive where he was a helper in doing fiberglass work on the yachts. He worked there for some months, but less than a year.

His next job was for the Core Jesus School on Elysian Fields Avenue doing janitorial work such as cutting grass, doing a little carpenter work, a handyman around the school. He worked there for 3 or 4 months.

He next worked for the St. Raphael School, also on Elysian Fields Avenue, cleaning 9 classrooms daily and helping out in the lunch room. He worked there some months, but less than a year.

His next job, and present job, is at Tulane University School of Medicine. He has been employed there for 1 year and 4 months, working in the Plumbing Division of the Maintenance Department.

Mr. HERNANDEZ was asked if he was familiar with Breakwater Road, also known as "The Point" or "Lover's Lane" on the Lakefront in New Orleans. He stated it was not familiar to him. As far as he knows, he has never been on that street. He was also asked if he ever did any electronics repair work, radio repair or TV repair. He stated that he has not and does not know anything about it. When asked what type of vehicle he now owns - automobile or truck - he stated he has never owned a vehicle of any kind, nor has he ever had a driver's license, in fact, he doesn't know how to drive. He was then asked if he knew anyone in the electronics business on Broad Street to which he replied that he has never known anybody in the electronics business, but that one time he was introduced to a fellow that lived in the St. Thomas Project by the name of MARIO who was from Nicaragua who owned an automobile; that MARIO did repair TV sets. MARIO did not have a repair shop. He did the work at home. HERNANDEZ described MARIO as being in his middle 50's, real short, medium build, but he did not have a mustache. HERNANDEZ said this would be the only person he would know to do this type of work. HERNANDEZ was then asked to name the organizations that he now belongs to, and has belonged to in the past. He stated that he belongs to the Cuban Students Directory in which he is Secretary. He stated he has helped other Cuban organizations, but that he only belongs to this one. He also belongs to the Cuban Liceum Club which is a social organization located on University Place upstairs, across the street from the Roosevelt Hotel. He belongs to the T66 which is a small club the Maintenance Department at Tulane University has. This is a social club for the maintenance workers where they donate their money and have parties every so often.

Mr. HERNANDEZ was shown a group of photographs to see if he could identify any of them. He picked out 2 photographs; one of LEE HARVEY OSWALD and one of himself. He stated that he saw OSWALD when he was walking back and forth on Canal Street giving out Castro Communist literature. He stated that this is the one and only time that he has ever been in a police station, and that is why he have his photograph. He said that on that day, he grabbed this traitor man (OSWALD) and CARLOS BRINGUIER told him not to hit him (OSWALD) that he would get in trouble. He further stated that on this particular day he was going to look for a job as a dishwasher Across the street he noticed this man with a large sign which read "VIVA FIDEL" and he felt something inside that this man is a traitor or Communist and he just wanted to do something about it. With all this commotion, American people started gathering around there and started calling OSWALD a traitor to the United States. A few minutes later the police pulled up and took him (HERNANDEZ) to jail, and he recalls

that he was put in Cell #5. He said this was the first time he had ever seen OSWALD. The second time was on August 12, 1963 in the courtroom when he was found not guilty; that he had not seen OSWALD after that until he saw him on TV the time of the assassination.

Mr. HERNANDEZ stated he spoke to the FBI on one occasion and gave them a statement. This was right after the assassination. He was then asked where he could be contacted if there was any further information needed by this office. Mr. HERNANDEZ said we could just call him and he would be glad to come and talk to us again.

Assistant District Attorney William Martin stated that everything translated by Mr. BRINGUIER was absolutely accurate.



M E M O R A N D U M

April 19, 1967

TO: ANDREW J. SCIAMBRA, ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
FROM: CLIENCY J. NAVARRE, INVESTIGATOR  
RE: FURTHER ATTEMPT TO LOCATE TV REPAIR TRUCK

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Records did indicate a LEE'S ELECTRONIC SUPPLY located at 929 North Broad and was issued a license in 1958 until 1965. No present listing could be located on this business, but a check of this address showed that it is now occupied by SUPERIOR FINANCE COMPANY.

All other leads were checked and a TV repair business using a repair truck painted white on the bottom with a black top before 1963 could not be located.

Any other leads developed will be investigated.

In reference to LEE'S ELECTRONIC SUPPLY located at 929 N. Broad Street, the license issued in 1958 until 1965 is listed in City Hall under number 13-0602-60103. This license was issued to one CARLTON LEE VICKSLER and his address was given as 929 N. Broad Street.

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M E M O R A N D U M

February 24, 1967

TO: ANDREW J. SCIAMBRA, ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
FROM: CLIENCY NAVARRE, INVESTIGATOR  
RE: LOCATING TELEVISION, ELECTRONIC PARTS, AND SERVICE  
LOCATED N. BROAD STREET

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This assignment was given to me at 3:55 P. M. on February 24, 1967, and a check was made through the city directory and the following was established:

JACK PORTER RADIO, T.V. Located 215 N. Broad Street could not be contacted because of the bad phone number.

VICTORY ELECTRICAL WORKS EQUIPMENT AND CREOLE ELECTRONICS both located 315 N. Broad could not be contacted because their phones were out of service.

PELICAN ELECTRONICS SUPPLIES, INC., located 829 N. Broad Street was contacted by phone and it was determined that their delivery trucks now and before 1963 were painted red.

AUTO RADIO, INC., located 935 N. Broad Street was contacted and it was established that they do not use trucks.

GENERAL T.V. APPLIANCE CO., INC., 1474 N. Broad Street used a white Falcon before 1963 and just recently purchased a white Buick in its place.

These are the only T.V., Electric, or Electronic establishment now located on N. Broad. A further check can be made to determine if other establishments were located on N. Broad Street before 1963 but will facilitate more time.

Richard M. Taylor # 1180  
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# L 2103 Herman Leon Ware, RT 2-Box  
330 A Zenoville, La.

L-1932 Stanley J. Schpnyder - (1962)  
4710 Osborne Ave - Baton Rouge.

L-1930 Lynn L. Lambert, Grandville  
RT 1 Box 10 (Lic 1959)

# 1580 Howard Dupain, 541 Andrews St.  
Houma La. (1942)

# 1525 - Enrique Marroquin infervale  
2127 Baronne apt 8. (1959)

# L 337 Joe P Morgan Jr.





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OSCAR W. DESLATTE, Assistant Manager, Truck Sales, Bolton Ford Company, 1483 North Claiborne Avenue, advised that he recalled two men coming to Bolton Ford on January 20, 1961. He remembered the date and following information as he had in his possession a bid for purchase form made out to Friends of Democratic Cuba, 402 St. Charles Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana, (Telephone Number JA 5-0763).

He said a Mr. JOSEPH MOORE, whose description he cannot remember, nor can he furnish any other identifying data regarding him, advised him that he and his friend, were representing the above organization and wished to purchase ten Ford Econoline Trucks. DESLATTE said MOORE listed the equipment he desired on the trucks, but he did not state whether they were for use here in the United States or were to be sent to Cuba. DESLATTE quoted him the price and advised that he would make a \$75 profit on each truck. MOORE said that he thought they should get the trucks for no profit for his organization. MOORE then told him that he should change the name on the bid form from MOORE to OSWALD, no first name given. The individual with MOORE then said that was his name and it should go on the form as he was the man with the money and would pay for the trucks, if they were purchased.

DESLATTE was exhibited a photograph of LEE HARVEY OSWALD and he said he cannot recall ever having seen him before nor could he say this was the individual who had come in with MOORE. DESLATTE said he could neither describe nor identify either of the men who came in as it was almost three years ago that they were there and only spent a short time with him. He said he remembered this incident, not by the name OSWALD, but because of the name of the organization represented.

DESLATTE said that he, himself, filled out the above mentioned bid form completely and neither individual either handled it or signed it. He said that he made the original of this form available to them and retained a carbon copy of this form for his use, which he said he made available to the interviewing Agents.

On 11/25/63 at New Orleans, Louisiana File # NO 89-69  
by SA's WILLIAM F. MC DONALD & W. J. DANIELSON, JR./lrs Date dictated 11/25/63

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